WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria, and Vicinity—Southeast gales, early morning, becoming southwesterly, overcast and mild with rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Strong southeasterly winds, decreasing to moderate; overcast and mild with rain.

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SMALL NAVAL LOSS ALMOST A MIRACLE FIRST LORD STATES

Admiralty Announces Two Destroyers and Four Transports Cost of Rescue of Some 45,000 Troops and Refugees During Week's Combing of Rugged Shores of Greece

LONDON, May 3 (AP).—Beset by German dive bombers and speedboats, the Royal Navy and Merchant Marine combed the rugged shores of Greece for a week to rescue about 45,000 Imperial troops and many refugees at the cost of two destroyers and four transports, the Admiralty announced Saturday.

The loss in ships was so small as to be "almost a miracle," A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, declared—as a luncheon address shortly after issuance of the Admiralty review.

While the Dunkerque withdrawal of last May and June is regarded as history a greatest operation of this type he said the Greek situation was worse in that the navy had no air protection against the swarms of German planes.

Most of the troops were withdrawn from the Peloponnesus, southernmost Greece, the Admiralty review disclosed.

THREE SHIPS EMPTY

Of the four transports sunk, only one had soldiers aboard, and 700 of these were saved by the destroyers Diamond and Wryneck.

The next day, both destroyers were sent to the bottom by dive bombers. The Admiralty did not say whether the 700 survivors from the transport were still aboard, but said it was feared that the loss of life was heavy. Normally the destroyers would have crews of 145 men each, or fewer.

In its typically unemotional style, the Admiralty gave a graphic account of the withdrawal from Greece.

It began on the night of April 24

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TWELVE NAZI PLANES DOWN

British Night Fighters Engage Swarms of Enemy Bombers Over Coast's

LONDON, May 4 (Sunday) (AP).—British night fighters shot down twelve raiders last night in swarms of Nazi planes battered Britain's East and West Coasts and bombed Liverpool hour after hour for the third successive night.

The raiders roared inland keeping London under alarm for hours although no bombing was reported there, the Royal Air Force said. Night fighters were rising to meet them from airfield after airfield.

Thirty bag of twelve made the night fighters' toll of engagements with enemy planes in the first three nights of the month.

NIGHT TOLL MOUNTS

These victories in the darkness prompted talk anew that Britain is finding an answer to night-time raiding, and this was backed by statements that out of 112 German planes downed over Britain last month, eighty-seven were listed as accounted for by night defenders.

The raiders apparently were repeating on Liverpool the tactics of persistent attack they employed at

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WILLKIE WOULD DELIVER GOODS

Declares Existing Sea Patrol Not Adequate to Prevent Ship Sinkings

WASHINGTON, May 3 (AP).—Wendell L. Willkie, charging that the United States Administration is adding sea patrol "is not adequate" declared today that he hates gas "to get the goods delivered to Great Britain."

"The rate of sinkings is so serious that we should protect our cargoes of arms and food to England," the 1940 Republican Presidential nominee said in an interview.

It is beyond argument, he said, that Willkie had sent word to President Roosevelt that he would support him in any move the President might make to assure the delivery of American food to Britain. Willkie himself told reporters.

"If my information is correct, the present patrol method is not adequate to prevent our products from going to the bottom of the ocean."

Replying to reporters' questions, Willkie said that if he were President he would have military naval and air experts advise him regarding the best method of protecting shipments to Britain and then would proceed on their advice.

"I am absolutely in favor of delivering the goods," he said, whereupon it be by convoy, airplane accompaniment of any other method deemed best.

DEMAND FOR CONVOY

At the Capitol, however, there were indications that Congress would hear increasing demands from some of its members for American convoys.

Senator Joseph Guffey (Dem., Pennsylvania) voiced the first such plea on Thursday, and it was disclosed today that Senator Claude

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THOUSANDS FLEE WHEN HOMES BURN

Whole District of Native Houses In Philippine Island Prey To Flames

MANILA PT. May 3.—Roaring flames swept through a densely thatch-like native houses crowded into a three-mile square area of the Tondo district today, killing three Filipinos and leaving 25,000 homeless.

The fire, causing damage estimated at more than $500,000 literally drove thousands of refugees before it into Manila Bay and mud flats on the edge of the district.

Clinging to what personal belongings have could save and directing their cattle before them, natives crowded through the narrow streets, overcome in the end by sheer edge. Rafts and boats were loaded with household effects and personal effects, while men, women, children and livestock waded into the water beside the motley assortment of craft.

Churchill Sends Message of Hope To Polish People

Broadcasts to Nationals on Poland's Holiday—Says Day Will Come When Prussian Attempt at Domination "Will Pass Like a Monstrous Dream"—Praises Patriots

LONDON, May 3 (CP).—The text of Prime Minister Churchill's address to the Polish people today follows:

"Tonight I am speaking to the Polish people all over the world. This is the 150th anniversary of the adoption by your Parliament of the constitution. You are right to keep this day as a national holiday because your constitution of 1791 was a pattern when it was framed, of enlightened political thought.

"Your neighbors in those by-gone days saw in the adoption of the system by a beaming of the regeneration of Poland. They hastened to prepare the partition of your country before the Polish nation could consolidate its position. The same regards the same crime was repeated in 1939.

HOPES FOR PEACE

"The German became alarmed at the success achieved by the Polish nation in setting its house in order. They saw that their aggressive designs would be thwarted by the growth of a strong independent Poland state at the time of the brutal German attack in September 1939. Your country, in the face of tremendous difficulties, had achieved notable progress during the twenty years of its revived national ex-

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Police Holding Murder Suspect

Police reported early this morning they had arrested and were holding for questioning a suspect in connection with the Tim Kee murder case. Officers declined to elaborate on the statement or intimate the nationality of the suspect.

IS INTERCEPTED AND SCUTTLED

German Freighter Meets Fate Five Days Out of Brazilian Port

NEW YORK, May 3.—The 3,300-ton freighter Linh, which left Rio de Janeiro five days ago in an attempt to run the British blockade was intercepted yesterday by a British auxiliary cruiser and was reported sinking off Bahia, Brazil maritime sources said today.

No other details were available here. The information the ship was sinking indicated she was scuttled by her crew.

SARNIED IN MARCH

The Linh, a North German Lloyd ship built at Bremen in 1936, arrived at Rio de Janeiro March 2 with an airplane and chemical products for Brazil.

Capt. Friedrich Brinkmann said then the Linh would remain until the end of the war, and that the arrival present that Germany delivers the goods.

The ship was camouflaged and it was reported she had come from Bordeaux.

On April 26 Capt. Brinkmann asked for permission to sail to Bergen and the Linh cleared port. Meanwhile, the German freighters Baltonga and Dresden at Santos and the Nordertor at Belem have been making apparent preparations to run the blockade. Their sailings have not been reported.

The Linh was loaded with 70,000 bags of Brazilian coffee and 30,000 Brazilian hides.

FOUR KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Freight Locomotive in California Bursts Causing Death and Damage

SALINAS, Cal., May 3 (AP).—A huge mountain locomotive pulling a ninety-four-car Southern Pacific freight train exploded five miles north of here today killing four crewmen and hurling wreckage among steel in all directions.

Twenty brakers and oil tank cars piled up like toys along the right-of-way. What was left of the powerful locomotive stood 200 feet down the track after the blast and remained right side up.

The dead Phil Young, fireman, four, San Luis Obispo, the engineer, Fred Kenneth McKean thirty-seven, San Francisco, fireman, Herbert Vincent Horan, forty, Watsonville, head brakeman, Alvin Schoendaller twenty-one, San Francisco, shifter brakeman.

Two persons were injured. They were Mrs. F. M. Patrick whose home stands from the scene of the explosion was virtually demolished by flying steel, and George B. Iwaska twenty, of Cattleville, a rodeman who was injured when a tire twice from the locomotive crashed through his windshield.

Mrs. Patrick suffered shock and lacerations and Iwaska facial cuts

FIND DINOSAUR NEAR EDMONTON

Fossilized Skelton of Prehistoric Monster Believed To Be Almost Intact

EDMONTON May 3 (CP).—C. C. Moller, amateur Edmonton archaeologist and today he has discovered the fossilized remains of a 100-foot dinosaur in the North Saskatchewan River Valley near the western limits of the city.

Mr. Moller said he believed the huge creature roamed the plains near here 6,000,000 years ago and the remains may have considerable value.

University of Alberta geologists who examined the remains, said they believed them genuine.

Because of the fossils intact the giant skeleton is buried under sand and stones at the foot of a 300-foot embankment. The bar normally is under water and became visible during a period of abnormally low water in recent weeks. Mr. Moller working against time to excavate the skeleton before the river rises again.

British Bombers Hit Heavily at Hamburg Industrial Centres

Raid Carried Out Under Bright Moon — Great Damage Caused—Naval Base at Emden Also Given Some Punishment

LONDON, May 4 (Sunday) (AP).—British bombers last night attacked Cologne, Germany, and the docks at Brest, it was reported authoritatively today.

LONDON, May 3 (CP).—British bombers caused great damage Friday night to docks and industrial plants in the great German port of Hamburg, the Air Ministry's News Service said Saturday.

The raiders set out on a bright moon and many large fires were soon started. The Ministry said Prime minister flashes brighter than the surrounding flames as they dumped their bombs into the fires.

Sometimes dense smoke had this burst of heavy bombs, but usually fires said they could see solid blocks of masonry break, through the pall of smoke.

German night fighters attempted to intercept the bombers, over the Prussian islands but the British pilots kept to their course and pierced successive concentrations of anti-aircraft fire before "goals to work on Hamburg."

Other planes it was authoritatively said attacked the naval base of Emden and oil stores at Rotterdam in the German-occupied Netherlands.

Four British planes are missing from their operations and others of Friday when two Nazi-controlled supply ships were attacked off The Netherlands coast. One was set afire and the other heeled over and broke in two.

SOLDIER'S DEATH CAUSES RIOTING

COLON (Panama) May 4 (Sunday).—Rioting broke out last night in the night club district of Colon, after a United States soldier was shot reportedly by a Panama policeman.

Colon, second largest city of the Republic of Panama and northern gateway to the Panama Canal, is separated by an international boundary from the Canal Zone town of Cristobal.

Military and Panama police were called to restore order and the military police cleared the streets of United States soldiers and sailors ordering them into buses and sending them in their encampments in the Canal Zone.

BRITISH FORCES REPULSE IRAQ ATTACK IN PERSIAN GULF AREA

Conflict, Said to Have Been Provoked by Germany, Continues—Britain Admits Loss of Some Trainer Planes and Few Casualties—R.A.F. Active on New Front

Turkey Estimates 50,000 Allied Troops in Country

LONDON, May 4 (Sunday) (CP).—A clash has occurred between British and Iraq forces in the Basra area of Iraq, the head of the Persian Gulf, it was learned here early today. The Iraq forces were reported driven off by bombers and artillery fire.

TWO-DAY BATTLE

LONDON, May 3.—Britain, plunged into a sudden conflict in Iraq announced tonight that her Middle Eastern forces had battled and planes in a two-day battle at Habbaniyah Airdrome.

The official statement, which said that a number of our aircraft have been destroyed on the ground and some casualties have been sustained" announced that the Royal Air Force had put the Iraqis back by blasting some of their guns into silence.

Fighting continued Saturday night, but authoritative sources said, the oil fields along Iraq's gulf strip were fighting for still flows by pipeline to the Mediterranean. Britain blames agents of oil hungry Germany for provoking the conflict.

NAZI FALSE CLAIMS

The Iraq Government, anti-British since a coup d'etat placed Rashid Ali in Cabinet as Premier on April 4, claimed destruction of twenty-six British aircraft at Habbaniyah, the Royal Air Force base sixty miles west of Baghdad and claimed the British forces had lost mechanized units in a "tank attack" on Rutbah (Rutba Port) and Airdrome, 250 miles west of Baghdad. The Ministry of Information said the Rutbah story was unfounded. Some planes were destroyed at Habbaniyah, it said, adding that most of the planes were training craft.

A formal British communique

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ENEMY TAKEN BY SURPRISE

British Force Carries Out Bold Attack in Desert—Tobruk Holding

IN CAIRO Egypt, May 3 (AP).—A British mechanized force cutting behind the German and Italian positions on the Egyptian frontier has raced across the desert plateau and blown up some of a considerable body of Axis troops, Middle Eastern Headquarters announced tonight.

This bold sortie, reminiscent of the tactics used in routing the Italians last Winter, was carried out in the Salum sector while the Axis forces stabbed repeatedly at British-held Tobruk eighty miles to the west only to wind up still in the southwestern corner of that port's outer ring of defences.

The thwarted Tobruk assaults over the Axis forces heavy losses. Those attacks were carried out for the most part by Germans taking tanks with considerable air support. The Middle East Command said two attacks were bagged.

STALLING ADVANCE

Military sources said the persistence of the Axis attacks indicated fully the British hold on Tobruk was stalling the Axis drive across Northern Africa. They added the continuation of these attacks was to be expected.

The troops which swept behind the Axis line at Salum cut the Bardia-Tobruk road for a time while they were rounding up the surprised Germans and Italians. In addition to the prisoners they brought back a big field gun.

This daring manoeuvre also gained useful information concerning disposition of the Axis troops in the area. It showed the Nazis still retain their old cunning at desert warfare and are not losing the initiative.

Strong contingents of battle-hardened fighters arrived from Greece in a miraculous operation the Royal Navy were carrying tonight to be on their way to the

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Need for Change in British Industrial Set-Up Is Foreseen

Observers Consider Labor Situation Not as It Should Be—Putting Nation on Speed-Up Programme Is Colossal Task

By R. J. Bassett
Canadian Press Features

LONDON, May 3.—The Cabinet is giving serious thought to this country's industrial problem, qualified observers do not consider is in as satisfactory a state as it should be. This has been admitted by Ernest Bevin, the Minister of Labor.

The problem is how to organize the country on the colossal basis required for the prosecution of a war, which has made more calls on industry than any previous war in history, and still maintain a sufficiency of freedom in the workshop and the factory. The Government has the necessary powers to compel industry, both employers and labor, to carry out whatever orders it may see fit to issue but it does not want to use those powers, meaning that voluntary labor is worth far more than forced service.

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

Nazis Get Comment, Other International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangements with The Vancouver Daily Province

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LONDON, May 3 (By Cable).—The final phase of the withdrawal of British troops from Greece saw The Times Cairo correspondent was full of exciting incidents. More than once the operations neared disaster, but cool thinking and prompt action crowned all with success.

New Zealanders formed the rear-guard and held roads in the south of Thermopylae.

The Nazis not seeing men hiding in olive groves from dive bombers, sent forward infantry in lorries. The Australian guns, which were trained on one stretch of the road, mow them to pieces.

This episode was a reflection of what had happened many times before.

The embarkation of troops at Megara beaches was prevented by an attack from German parachutists who descended on the Isthmus of Corinth, occupied the bridge and barred by sniper fire the road to troops in Attica from Peloponnesus, where the British headquarters were.

The Nazis dropped from a low altitude, using some explosive device to open the parachutes quickly. Machine guns were dropped at the same time and in a few minutes the whole party had control of the beach.

The beachmaster however escaped and warned a New Zealand brigadier and he was able to embark his men from another beach safely. Some parties of troops found themselves, through misunderstanding, on the beach, where there were not enough ships to carry them away.

Radio units were sent to the navy and in the meantime troops were off German lands. An Irish Bell, anxious detachments saw the outlines of warships creeping up the coast. Before dawn the whole force of 4,500 men was safely embarked right under the nose of the enemy.

Dealing with the war in Iraq where the British forces are said to be pro-Nazi, The Times diplomatic correspondent shows that the terms of a treaty of alliance with Iraq. British forces there are entitled to every help, consideration and use of all railways, ports, airdromes and means of communication.

Rashid Ali's refusal to fulfill the terms forced him to the defeat in Greece. He is the tool of a group of colonels who had caused control of Iraq illegally.

Britionality. The Times deals with Britionality, a word Mr. Churchill and says that Beaverbrook a retirement from the Ministry of Aircraft Production, and Beaverbrook is one of his fellow-workers who has greatly contributed to the ruthless energies of a colleague with no concern for conventional administrative ways.

He has however done great things for the Royal Air Force. The best effect of the Cabinet changes seems to be that Churchill is approaching the creation of a War Cabinet without departmental distinctions.

REICHSTAG MEETS TODAY

BERLIN, May 4 (Sunday).—Dr. The Reichstag is to meet at 8 p.m. today 3 a.m. P.S.T. to receive a declaration of the Reich's Government, an official announcement said today. The session will be broadcast over German radio stations.

Fix Quotas Of Cars to Be Allowed

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Automobile manufacturers were asked by the office of Production Management today that they should make 4,225,125 cars in the model year beginning August 1.

Individual allotments were assigned to each company, but officials said that the figures would not be disclosed by firms.

It was learned however, that General Motors Corporation, Chrysler and the Ford Motor Company were reduced 21½ per cent below their production this year.

Roosevelt to Speak Today

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. May 3 (AP).—President Roosevelt today visited the home of President Jimmy Monroe, author of the famous doctrine barring further European colonization in the Americas and then began drafting an address to dedicate as a shrine the 50th place of Woodrow Wilson, the World War president.

Mr. Roosevelt's address will be delivered tomorrow at 9 a.m. (P.S.T.), at Staunton, Va., where Wilson was born in 1856.

Applications To Air Force Continuous

MELBOURNE Australia May 3 (CP).—More than 10,000 men have applied for admittance to the RAAF in fifty-eight weeks according to a statement issued by the Air Department. This represents an average of one application every three and a half minutes.

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LUCKY ALASKAN WINS FORTUNE

Captures $95,000 Cash Prize for Guessing Time Of Ice Break

NENANA, Alaska, May 3 (AP).—Fred Miller of Lone Eagle won a prize of $95,000 cash today when he spoke up in the Tanana River signalling the resumption of navigation and spurring activities in interior Alaska.

Miller, as a shining mechanic was contest by guessing the exact day the ice in the Tanana River would break and minute 1:31 am that the floating friezes and floes would start the river ice and trip a wire supplying a time clock in controlled broadcasting.

FLYING FOR PRIZE

A dozen ships in interior Alaska, only miles from here this afternoon to bring the lucky winner to Fairbanks to collect the awards. Accountants said he was about forty-five years old and employed by the Tanana Mines Inc. operating large placer claims in the Kantishna district near Mount McKinley.

The ice ran for ninety minutes after the first crunch, and then jammed in front of the village Railroad date for the opening since the towns started sponsoring the Alaska Sweepstakes here in 1917 was last Spring when the river had at 3.27 pm. April 20, latest was May 19, 1920, at 1.22 p.m.

WOODWORKERS IN STRIKING MOOD

Conference Called to Prepare and Co-ordinate Action—Claim Makes Demands

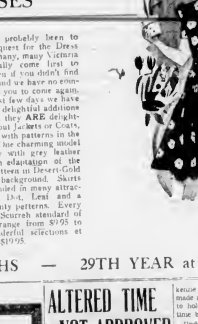
SEATTLE, May 3 (AP).—Headquarters of the CIO International Woodworkers of America issued a call tonight for a conference of union men at Portland next Tuesday to prepare and co-ordinate strike action.

The call followed a day of conference between the union and representatives of operators at which they failed to reach an agreement.

Union spokesmen said negotiations had not been broken off but that unless there was a settlement soon "over 20,000 members in Northern and Southern Washington are very likely to go on strike."

A blanket wage increase of seven and one-half cents an hour and a week's vacation with pay effective now was asked by the union, as well as abolition of piecework, a union shop and union dispatching.

No, Madam, YOU HAVEN'T SEEN THESE DRESSES



Of course you've probably been to Scurrahs in your quest for the latest in your Dreams—many, many Victoria ladies just naturally come first to Scurrahs. But even if you didn't find what you had in mind we have no compunction in asking you to come again. Just within the past few days we have received dozens of delightful additions to our display and they ARE delightful. With or without Jackets or Coats, light backgrounds with patterns in the choicest Pastels. One charming model is Rose and Grey with grey leather belt, another is an edastagion of the famous Parsley Pattern in Desert-Gold and Blue White background. Skirts with fullness provided in many attractive styles. Hobbs 13-4. Least and a hundred other dainty patterns. Every one is up to the Scurrah standard of style and prices range from $9.95 to $35.00, with wonderful selections at $12.95, $14.95 and $19.95.

SCURRAHS 29TH YEAR at 728 YATES

Saw Terrorism of German Invasion Of Little Nation

Associated Press Foreign Writer Tells of Escape From Yugoslavia and of Tactics of Nazis—Hospital Trains Bombed and Refugees Shot Down—Received Friday Night

In one of the most dramatic stories to come out of the war, Robert St. John tells of his flight from Yugoslavia on the eve of the Nazi invasion under terrific aerial bombardment. Mr. St. John was expelled in the late spring by the Germans because of his dispatches to the United States. He was in Romania and travelled to the world the news of the slowly iron Guardists running after Carol's abdication and exile.

By ROBERT ST. JOHN
Associated Press Staff Writer

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, May 3 (AP)—After traveling four weeks night and day by almost every conceivable method of transportation, I finally have arrived in a safe port with the bloody story of the invasion and fall of Yugoslavia and the evacuation of Greece.

Here are a few things which happened along the way after that ominous dawn of Sunday, April 6, when Nazi bombers rained terror on sleeping Belgrade.

With Russell Hill, of the New York Herald Tribune, Leigh White, of Columbia Broadcasting Systems and the Overseas News Agency, and Terrence Atherton of the London Daily Mail, I left Bosia, on the Yugoslav coast, in a twenty-foot sardine boat we got in lieu for an automobile as the Italian occupation force was entering that ancient walled city.

We set out with no compass, with automobile road maps in lieu of charts, with only twelve gallons of gasoline and a sixty-sack of black bread as our either food supply.

After a night of slow progress along a treacherous course, we lay hidden for a day in a little Dalmatian port, which the Italians had already occupied. We were protected by native fishermen who reported they were already being forced to take Italian fire for anything the prestigious force wanted.

BOMBED IN BOAT

As we continued our flight, we took a boat at a sixty-year-old weatherbeaten fisherman to help guide our tiny craft. We was bombed and Atherton was wounded when dive-bombers screamed down from the clouds in a combination bomb and machine-gun attack.

We lay on our stomachs on a three-foot-square deck through two nights, peering over block waters for floating mines as we sailed with full canvas through extensive mine fields in the narrow Straits of Otranto.

We signaled our boat through mines of the Italian fleet hiding away near Durazzo, Albania.

We were hailed by two armed Italian mine layers whose crews manned their machine guns as we passed close under their bows but held their fire when we spread a blood-stained American flag on the deck.

We were nearly shipwrecked in a storm on the rocky island of Sasseno, the Gibraltar of the Adriatic.

ROW THROUGH NIGHT

We had to row soaked to the gills all one stormy night against overpowering waves when our two-cylinder outboard engine went dead and high winds made it impossible to beat a sail.

Finally we got in at Corfu just in time for the first aerial bombardment, the island had had no alarm.

We persuaded Greek authorities to allow us to set out on the Ionian Sea aboard a Greek food ship. We left just after an air raid wrecked a destroyer lying in the port and made a shambles of the port and theatre office and a nearby hotel.

DODGE MINEFIELDS

For three nights we dodged through minefields, circled around islands and pushed toward the Greek mainland under the cover of darkness.

Per three days we hid in woods while our 300-ton schooner was anchored out of the way in a cove.

One day we spent hidden on the island of Leukas, watching Italian bombers crashing over nearby Italian birthplace of Ulysses.

Another day we hid on top of an island monastery where the monks fed us figs and honey, then hid us until dusk.

The different our schooner touched her close to the wharf at Patras, air raid sirens began to wail and scramble over the side of the vessel and made for shelter beneath the blocks of concrete which Nazi planes rained into sight and bombed a hospital ship loaded with 800 wounded Greek soldiers.

REFUGEES AIDED

From our hideout we could see destruction wrought by the raid of the night before. Dive bombers had attacked the waterfront while 700 refugees were attempting to disembark from flat-bottomed boats. Seventy had been killed and their mattresses and bedding still lay scattered on the quay, blood-soaked and torn to shreds by bullets.

Later, while 100 to 200 dead were being taken from the hospital ship, we had from another raid in a high cliff overmanning the area. Hundreds of Greek soldiers roared along the road with the refugees under the train with its two machine guns manning.

Men, riding on the top of the train tumbled to the ground. Those of us inside sprawled on the floor. I got one bullet in the leg and White got two serious wounds in the thigh. The train stopped.

Six hundred of soldiers streamed up the mountainside. Hill and I struggled to get White to safety under the train while the plane roared back and forth spraying cars with bullets.

White's pneumonia we had passed from Belgrade we lost when the train engineer suddenly put on steam and left the dead and wounded behind. We carried White to a road and hailed an R.A.F. truck, loaded in the wounded and sped to Corinth.

HIT HOSPITAL TRAIN

But while we sped, so did the German Air Force. As we pulled into town, Stukas dive-bombed a thirty-car hospital train setting fire to many coaches which soon were a flaming 1979.

Hill and afternoon gritty volunteers carried stretchers loaded with horrible mangled men through the streets to the little dressing station where plucky Greek girls tried to do the work of doctors—for there was no doctor here and no time to spare for the wounded—gun bullet wounds when men were dying by the dozen.

The parade of wounded men on stretchers was in one hospital door and out another of dead men on stretchers came out through another.

We persuaded the R.A.F. to lend us a truck and pressed on. At Argos we barely came at last. The little city had never been bombed, but before White's serious and my minor wounds could be attended the bombs are came. They came in waves with bombs and every conceivable type and rained them down indiscriminately.

We went to the little hospital filled with wounded British soldiers

HELP THE WOUNDED

We spent nearly twenty-four hours hauling cots of men who could not move by themselves in and out of the hospital.

Atherton and I, during one attack, were in a trench outside the hospital when a bomb landed very few away, burying both of us under rubble.

Then a truck loaded with oxygen tanks exploded, showing flames over the wounded. Wounded men had to be hauled to safety again.

At last, we helped establish an emergency dressing station in the cellar concrete shelter and became patients ourselves. We lay there with the men, women and children with pieces of shell fragments in their bodies. We were carried in—some dead already, some dying and only a few with more than a spark of life.

We finally got White into a private clinic with doctors promising to operate immediately.

REST IN SAFETY

Before preaching on, we climbed to the top of a mountain at the edge of the town for two hours of rest in safety, but a squadron of Nazi troop carriers began unloading parachutists in the deserted valley on the other side of the mountain.

We knew there was no more time to pause now.

Then night we plodded on foot down a highway teeming with British Jerries fleeing for evacuation ports. We were arrested frequently by British patrols seeking to round up the same parachutists we had seen drop—at least those not already shot by the Greeks.

We turned occasionally to watch flashes of fire as bombs burst for three hours on the town we had just left.

Probably our work of moving wounded men and out of dead men's sonns had all been futile.

We were heading for a fishing village in the hope of buying, renting or stealing some kind of small craft to make our way to the Greek shores, but when we got there we found the harbor full of large British craft and great embarkation about to take place.

FIVE ROYAL NAVY

We soon gave up the small boat plan and before dawn we had been taken in charge by the Royal Navy and were en route to safety.

Details of that last phase of our flight are important enough to be entirely disclosed. It is the story of the British navy's almost superhuman accomplishment in defying combined air and sea power of the Axis to leave the British Expeditionary Force so it could fight again.

The danger of death on the waters was double the dangers we had going through on land, but we survived them—including as far as we are able to learn the only three of four British Anglo-American neutrals ever to get out of Axis-controlled territory from Yugoslavia.

Only three days ago we never had our clothes off. We have had only two or three rather short naps. We were able to throw ourselves down on beds a few hours at a stretch, but only a few times. Most of the time we were either driving a helpless crippled Greek wing winding roads of Bersia, Bosnia or Montenegro, or keeping watch over dark waters of the Adriatic or Ionian Seas or hiding in dugouts from bombs.

Everywhere we went the story seemed to follow us—a story of Nazi treachery and perfidy and the chance of communicating that story to our home office seemed almost impossible. We approached Having found communications at last, we now crave only rest.

FINDS REPUBLICS IN SOUTH FRIENDLY

LOS ANGELES, May 3 (AP)—Sir Henry Getty Chilton, member of the British Ministry of Economic Warfare and trade mission, stopped from a train and said he had a business trip and golf. I've come to play a little golf. To prove it, he jogged around the links.

He'll remain five days as guest of Eric Clough, president of Shell Oil Co. to finish Canada and London.

He said South American republics were free from Nazi influence in the United States.

Pnts Purswers On Wrong Road

LONDON, May 3 (CP)—A British unit withdrawing before the German advance, came to a fork in a road in Southern Greece. A Greek policeman watched the British unit. Minutes later the pursuing Nazis reached the fork and the Greek policeman pointed—left. The pursuing Nazis action saved the British troops to embark safely on destroyers, pursuing reported tonight.

Grain Elevator Swept by Fire

VEGREVILLE, Alta., May 3 (CP)—Damage unofficially estimated at $60,000 resulted here late Thursday from a fire that swept through the British America Elevator and two adjacent housing approximately 70 thousand bushels of grain. Sparks from the fire lettered the roof of the neighboring Alberta Wheat Pool Elevator, but the blaze was extinguished by volunteer fire fighters before it could gain any headway.

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ALTERED TIME NOT APPROVED

Conference of Mayors at Ottawa Fails to Support Motion of City Council

A motion of the City Council that daylight saving be made a province-wide or Dominion-wide measure during the war failed to receive support of the fourth annual conference of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities. Mayor Andrew McGavin declared on his return yesterday. The parley was held at Ottawa from April 21 to 24.

Mayor McGavin was made a member of the national executive by the 150 mayors present from all parts of Canada. Mayor Stanley Lewis, Ottawa, was re-elected president. Mayor J. W. Cornett, Vancouver, Mayor John Queen, Winnipeg and Mayor W. E. Donovan, Halifax were named vice-presidents.

Among those attending the conference from the United States were Mayor F. H. LaGuardia New York, Mayor J. D. Scholtz, Louisville; Mayor W. Cooper Green, Birmingham; Mayor C. D. Reilly, Pittsburgh; Mayor S. O. Decker, Rochester; Mayor N. McCrary Fort Worth; Mayor John J. Burns, Burlington; Dr. D. Caron, Manchester, Mayor W. H. Dress, Evansville, Paul V. Betters, executive director of the United States Conference of Mayors, and Earl D. Mallery of the American Municipal Association.

SECTIONAL HOUSES

Considerable discussion was held on a paper presented by Joseph M. Piggott, president of Wartime Housing, Ltd. He described sectional housing, of two-storey units that could be built for $1,300, and four rooms for $1,800 to take care of industrial expansion.

Mr. Piggott stated Wartime Housing Ltd. had let contracts for 224 family houses and staff dwellings for 400 men at Halifax, as the first move of the newly-formed government housing company to solve wartime housing problems.

Other projects were planned at Hamilton Ontario and New Glasgow, Nova Scotia. Additional housing was also scheduled for Halifax, and reports and recommendations under way on problems in the Niagara Peninsula, including St. Catharines, Welland, Port Erie and Niagara Falls.

Mayor McGavin thought that such cheap houses would tend to create slum conditions and wondered if they would come under the authority of various rental control committees. Mr. Piggott replied they were temporary dwellings and would be pulled down at the end of the war.

INTERVIEW PREMIER

No discussion was held on the Rowell-Sirois report as originally planned. A committee headed by Mayor W. G. Hesman, London, Ontario, interviewed Premier Mackenzie King on recommendations made in the conference, but decided to hold them in abeyance for the time being.

Under direction of Dr. W. G. Gordon, Federal Air Raid Precautions officer, films of bombing, gas attacks, civilian protection, decontamination and fire and police work during actual air raids were shown to delegates. They were of the opinion that air raid precautions and civilian defence were a matter for the Federal Government, which should step pay for the cost of protecting necessary utilities such as water, electricity and gas.

T. C. Davis, deputy minister, Department of National War Services read a paper on municipalities and the war effort. Delegates agreed that mentioned of the Navy, Army and Air Force should not be demobilized until a definite and satisfactory plan had been evolved to reabsorb them into civil life.

LIQUOR PRICES ARE AFFECTED

General Price List of Liquor Control Board May Be Redrafted

Not only wines and beer, but noxious liquors may also move up in price after current revisions by the Liquor Control Board it was said yesterday at the Legislative Buildings by Attorney-General Wismer. The board's costs have been increased markedly by the Federal Budget, the changes affecting imported brands of liquor, as well as wines and beer.

Early this week the Liquor Control Board will meet the brewers in Vancouver to work out a new basis for beer sold in licensees, with the exception that beer will move up between $1.25 and $1.50 per barrel to the licensee. Wines, it likely will be increased somewhere between twenty-five and fifty cents a gallon, depending on their nature and origin. Hard liquor will also be affected, though to what extent has not yet been worked out.

No details had yet been obtained for the general revision in the price list at vendors stores, Mr. Wismer said, but announcement could be expected shortly, after the board had had time to study changes implied by reason of mail and other taxes in the Federal Budget. The result, it is expected, will be fairly general increases in the list throughout.

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OTTAWA (CP)—Production of motor vehicles in Canada during March totaled 36,044 units, as compared with 18,813 units in the corresponding month of 1940.

One of the Eight Saanich Wells

Government and municipal officials are shown above as they took a sample of one of Saanich's eight wells, which will provide the district with an independent water supply system, subject to approval by the ratepayers, which will provide the district with an independent water supply system, subject to approval by the ratepayers, which will provide the district with an independent water supply system, subject to approval by the ratepayers

Nazi Aim in Syria Is to Cause Strife Among Populations

British Protest to Vichy Over German Moves but Land Troops to Burn to Safeguard Mosul—Russia's Attitude

By PENTYMAN
North American Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The British Government has protested to Vichy against the continuance of German infiltrations in Syria. There, the Germans conform to the same pattern of action as in Morocco. Three months ago, they dislodged the Italian officers from the "commissions of disarmament," an open infringement upon the terms of the Armistice.

Several times a week a transport plane lands on the airfields near Beyrouth and brings more men. Syria is inhabited by heterogeneous populations addicted to feuds which took the French many years to quell. For the Nazis it is child's play to rekindle the smoldering fire. All the more so now that French authority is crumbling. It rests mainly on prestige, and prestige has gone.

The British already are attempting to counteract any German move across Syrian borders or in circumventing the barrier. Hence the landing of troops in Basra intended especially to safeguard the Mosul oilfields. Were Syrian territory actually to be invaded and Germans in east away all outward pretense to observe the clauses in the Armistice convention, the probabilities are the "neutralized" French fleet off Alexandria would fall to Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham.

THE FRENCH FLEET

It consists of an old battleship, the Lorraine (sister ship of the Bretagne destroyed at Mers-el-Kebir) and of quite a number of 8,000-ton cruisers which gave an excellent account of themselves in 1939-40. That "boutage fleet" may prove the real bulwark of Syria against the German invader. But, notwithstanding all so-called "infiltrations," it is hard to see how the German command could gain a firm hold in Syria unless Turkey, previously had surrendered to the Axis or had been defeated. The British are still in command of the Eastern Mediterranean, and, on that account, German forces must use the land route.

For years, the Ankara Government has treated Syria as a "zone of security." When the Petain-Laval regime acted for a separate armistice last June, that Government stated it would never permit the installation of a power drive than France in Syria. Since then, Turkey's other zone of security, Western Thrace, has gone by the board.

It is then, an open question whether President Ismet Inonu and his colleagues would accept risks in Asia which they refused to face in Europe. But it should be remembered that in March they meant to rally to the new Balkan league of Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, and were stopped by the resolve of Prince Paul, then regent of Yugoslavia, to come to terms with Germany.

The Yugoslav-Greek disaster is for them a potent inducement to remain quiet and shrink into their shell.

RUSSIAN PERSUASION

Yet, according to diplomatic sources, the Russians rather encourage them not to give way. An encouragement likely to carry more conviction if Russia herself were ready to join in.

In the Europe of today, Russia is the only power which cannot be turned or surrounded or hemmed in by the Nazi conqueror, which, on paper at least, is in a position to make a serious attempt to assert her independence. However, none dares forecast what course she will take.

Let us credit Joseph Stalin with the greatest amount of cynicism imaginable—and those who saw him at close quarters and recognized in him a thorough Asiatic instinct in mind and in heart, from all ideologic beliefs, will certainly make a very liberal allowance. Nevertheless, it remains that he is aware of the German menace. The outlying portion of his empire has been invaded by the enemy. Finland, where German staff officers are reported to be investigating the problem of an attack upon Leningrad; Rumania, the Black Sea. Perhaps tomorrow the Dardanelles, Turkey and Syria will share in the same fate. Perhaps Iraq and Iran may follow suit. Can Stalin confidently expect to survive in Adolf Hitler's embrace? And what is the alternative?

STALIN'S PROGRAMME

Many entertained the foolish hope, in 1939, that he was going to fight with the Western powers which, on obvious grounds were forbidden to give him a free hand within the frontiers of the former Romanoff empire. Then, with more sense, it was commonly thought that his programme was to keep out of the war and wait for the exhaustion of all belligerents. But, assuming that such was Stalin's wisdom, it can now be questioned. Now, there is, at any rate, a real danger that a victorious Germany (using from the struggle, strong enough to force all Europe and more into the framework of its new order.

The "all-round exhaustion theory" was tenable only as long as the two adverse camps balance each other. Stalin must fear that were Turkey to humble herself, what remains of that balance would be upset? He may realise as we do that, in the future, the United States has a good chance to turn the scales against the Nazi empire. But that deliverance would find Russia already caught in the Hitler scheme of revolutionary economic sufficiency. Stalin, therefore, can hardly afford to profess indifference to what happens to Great Britain. As against that trend of feeling and reasoning must be put his awareness of the Soviet Union's shaky internal structure widespread rural discontent etc.

But as far as his personal regime is concerned, he may, after all, find it less hazardous to wage war than to pass under Hitler's yoke. Can he fancy he would be treated as a vassal in the same considerate manner as Regent Horthy or King Boris?

But let him trade his submission for new territorial aggrandizements, with a full bag, he would be still less secure. A pervading sense of helplessness may paralyze the Russian rulers. Apart from all wishful thinking so much can be said for Germany. Russia is a doubtful quantity.

WASHINGTON (CP)—Experts here are experimenting with soil-less gardening that suggests tourists may soon grow their own food on their motor trailers.

Malleks Publish British Trade Appeal to Women of Victoria

Message by

Sir Cecil M. Weir, K.B.E., M.C.

An Executive Member of the Export Council of the British Board of Trade

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Opportunities present themselves just now to utilize the great variety of skins in stock, and to develop other British skins.

London and British dressing and dyeing compare very favorably with the finishes of any other country, so that whoever buys from Great Britain will not only be helping us to purchase in exchange the things we want for the speedy winning of the war, but will also obtain articles of value and quality for which this country has long been renowned.

I am sure that our fellow members of the British Commonwealth in Canada and our hosts of friends in the United States will be happy to give favorable consideration to offers of goods from the British Fur Trade.

And so at Malleks we feel our obligation, and as far as we possibly can, we are BUYING BRITISH, and urging our customers to BUY BRITISH. Take the matter of Furs for instance. In normal times, the British Fur Trade would be able to dispose of all its manufactures in the Home Market. Indeed, it could do so now, but owing to the greater need for the purchase of material and equipment for War purposes, the British Furriers, dressers and dyers, want, more than anything else, to exchange their productions for the accoutrements of War.

And so, in accordance with this great effort of the British Exporters, great quantities of British processed Furs and Wool Fabrics are now being exported to Canada and the United States and at Malleks, with our large selection of British Fabrics, we are happy and proud to be in a position to help the British Export Trade by offering this product to the Women of Victoria. In a recent issue of the Export Number of a Trade Paper called the "Fur Times," the British Fur Trade described how it is Fighting for Export Dollars to "Finish the Job." And at Malleks, we believe that the best thing we can do to help "finish the job" is to carry on our business to the best of our ability.

And so we see the fallacy of the idea that seems to be in the minds of some Women that it is NOT PATRIOTIC to buy New Clothes during Wartime. As a matter of plain fact, the very opposite is true. TO BUY BRITISH GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION IS THE MOST PATRIOTIC THING WE CAN DO. And, after buying New Clothes, if we have clothing to spare we can help still further by sending such garments, through the various agencies organized for that purpose, to those who sorely need them in the Bombed Cities of Britain.

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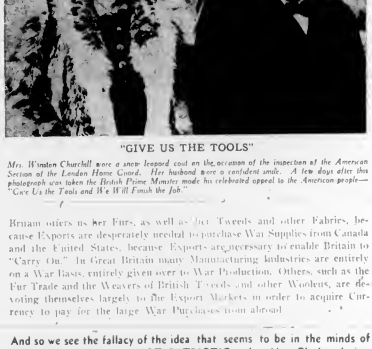

"GIVE US THE TOOLS"

Mrs. Winston Churchill wore a snow leopard coat on the occasion of the inspection of the American Section of the London Home Guard. Her husband wore a confident smile. A few days after this photograph was taken the British Prime Minister made his celebrated appeal to the American people—"Give Us the Tools and We Will Finish the Job."

Britain offers us her Furs, as well as her Tweeds and other Fabrics, because Exports are desperately needed to purchase War Supplies from Canada and the United States, because Exports are necessary to enable Britain to "Carry On." In Great Britain many Manufacturing Industries are entirely on a War Basis, entirely given over to War Production. Others, such as the Fur Trade and the Weavers of British Tweeds and other Woolens, are devoting themselves largely to The Export Markets in order to acquire Currency to pay for the large War Purchases from abroad.

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"O Canada" march, "To the Front," Hume, overture "Barber of Seville," Rossini, waltz caprice, "Bill Mason," Percy Fletcher; selection, "Bounds From England," Otto Langer; serenade, "Lira in Idleness," Alan Macilloh; march, "Thunderer," Sousa; march, "Spirit of Pageantry," Percy Fletcher; selection, "Cavalcade," Noel Coward; paraphrase, "Heaver, My God, to Thee," Otto Langer; and selection, "H.M.S. Pinafore," Sullivan.

CHIEF OF POLICE WARNS MOTORISTS

Chief J. A. McLellan has received complaints of unnecessary noise raised by certain thoughtless motorists when passing the city hospitals.

"The complaints on this occasion are not of shouting or horn-tooting," said the chief. "But of such thoughtless and disturbing noises as sudden acceleration and speeding, and the jamming on of brakes because of failure to slow down in time at an intersection, or for the rounding of corners.

"Signs outside the hospitals request traffic to proceed slowly and quietly, and whilst many motorists obey this request conscientiously, what they sometimes fail to remember is that noise carries a very long distance. Therefore, our thought for the sick should continue until we are well away from the vicinity of the hospital.

"It should also be remembered that at night, in the dark, sudden grinding and screeching sounds have a more disturbing effect than in daylight.

"I earnestly ask all motorists to act with the greatest consideration when in the neighborhood of our hospitals," concluded the chief, and let that neighborhood represent a wide area all around the buildings.

THE TRUTH

The skipper of a tramp freighter writing the log recording an eventful day, rounded off his task with the entry: "Mate intoxicated. To the mate who indignantly protested on reading it, the skipper retorted: "Well, it's true, isn't it?"

The following day it was the mate's duty to write the log. He completed his account with: "Skipper sober."

The captain stared at it for a moment, and then exploded.

"Well, it's true, isn't it?" was the mate's rejoinder.

TREASURE STOLEN IN RAID ON MONASTERY

BERLIN, May 3 (Reuters)—Nazi spokesmen claimed today part of the Serbian national treasure, estimated at 15,000,000 dinar (about $3,000,000 at pre-war exchange) fell into German hands in a raid on a monastery at Ostrog, near the Albanian frontier.

It was claimed secret police and soldiers found bank notes and gold hidden in books, among church robes and in other places, partly in vaults.

CERTAIN

A murder trial was in progress and the whole case hung on the matter of time. Only one witness had seen the prisoner on the eve in question, and he was the timid little man in the witness box.

Counsel for the defence stood up, cleared his throat and pointed his finger at the witness.

"Now, think carefully," he began. "Are you quite sure it was exactly a quarter to nine when you met my client?"

By—quite sure," replied the witness.

"Remember, went on counsel, silently that a man's life depends upon your being right. It was a lonely road there were no clocks about, you admit you hadn't a watch, yet you remember the time exactly. Tell me did you speak to my client?"

"Yes."

What did you say to him?

"I said to him, 'Excuse me but can you tell me the time?'"

FIND PICTURES OF QUEEN PROVOCATIVE

AMSTERDAM (via Berlin) May 3.—The wearing of public display of pictures of any living members of the House of Orange was forbidden under a decree issued today by the German commissioner at The Hague.

The order was aimed chiefly at the display of pictures of Queen Wilhelmina and wearing of badges bearing her likeness. The Nazis say they regard her picture as "politically provocative."

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EVACUATIONS

Norway, Dunkerque, Greece—these three names are synonymous in the world war with the evacuation of British forces from military campaigns in which, in each case, they were faced with overwhelming odds. In each, defeat had the patness in the large number of lives saved. In each it was the prowess of the British Navy that made escape on such a large scale possible, the Fleet, assisted by the Air Force, and assisted, too, by men of a merchant marine who knows no fear. Sea and air power continue to be, and sometimes in what seems a miraculous way, a very sheet anchor of the ability of the Empire to hold on in the face of an enemy who, wherever he is encountered on land, has the facility of bringing overwhelming odds to bear.

Although large bodies of British troops have, in each instance, been saved from decimation by or surrender to the enemy, none has left the names of Norway, Dunkerque and Greece signifiy defeat. The purposes of the campaigns had to be abandoned and the enemy left in possession of conquered territory. The three happenings, which are milestones in the war, mediate separately and together that the end to be sought to insure victory is man-power and mechanical equipment that will measure up to that possessed by the enemy. Evacuations do not win wars, naval power alone cannot bring about the defeat of such immense land forces as Hitler's possesses. Be it remembered, too, that in the Balkan campaign the air strength employed by the enemy was ten times as great as Britain's, more than that which it was possible for the Imperial Forces to bring to the aid of Greece and Yugoslavia. It was somewhat the same in Norway and at Dunkerque. On land Germany dominates each situation and forced the evacuations that were accomplished with such skill and daring.

In the ebb and flow of a war of this magnitude, it is unwise to place too much importance on any particular episode. There are plain and unmistakable evidences, however, of the colossal efforts to which the British Empire must rouse itself to meet the German menace. The enemy has demonstrated, in a manner to which the Imperial Forces can bear painful evidence, that, wherever he has struck on land it is with prepondering strength and with that strength a readiness to sustain heavy losses so that the end may be achieved. This type of warfare, with all the equipage of its modern terrors is a practical principle of the methods of the German High Command. It must convey inevitably to the British High Command that such forces must be met with equal or greater force, that the man-power of the Empire and its mechanical equipment must not fall short of that possessed by the Nazi war machine.

The culminating lessons of Norway, Dunkerque and Greece should mean a new trumpet call to the putting forth of Imperial effort. It is not only numbers, but man-power in battle that must be thrown into the struggle on an ever-increasing scale. The production of mechanical equipment, of ammunition, of munitions of continles to increase. All these are being added to under the Lend-Lease legislation of the United States. The greater the accumulation of the implements of war there are the more man-power there will be needed to handle them and that man-power must be trained to the minute to undergo the strain of modern battle. The period of preparation, therefore, is necessarily longer than it was in the Great War. It has become obvious that armies of the Empire on a greater scale than has yet been envisaged will be needed before this war is brought to a successful issue. Those armies everywhere in the British domain should be reinforced without delay, if, so, that the fully-trained men will be available that is if there are to be no more painful evacuations because of overwhelming odds.

OFFICIAL COMPLACENCY

The fact that there is not to be a meeting of the Overseas Prime Ministers under Mr. Winston Churchill at this time does not lessen the argument in favor of Mr. Mackenzie King paying a visit to London. It is for the benefit of the Allies that towards this country's war effort that the visit should be made so that he can ascertain at first hand the tremendous contribution of Great Britain, what she is undergoing and the need for every country of the Overseas Empire and particularly the premier Dominion, to play its vital and all-out part in the struggle. There is much that is left to complete the education of this country's Prime Minister in these particulars. He could learn the crying need that exists for man-power as well as airplanes and all other mechanical equipment, for ships, and perhaps most of all for a stern and inflexible determination to put into practice what Mr. King himself has long been the utmost in our power.

That utmost is very far from realization in Canada. The spirit of the men in the Active Force is excellent, so is that of Canada's Navy and it pervades the personnel of the Air Force. All three want action. Many of them are wearied perhaps even jaded, with inaction, and it is because there is so much inaction that complaints are being experienced in filling the quotas of the existing units, that in those units which are described as on active service. Mr. Arthur Meighen has got the matter in a nutshell in saying that "too great a proportion of our effort is devoted to home defence." He knows that this country is not yet set for an all-out war, and says there are only 60,000 Canadians in training, "far too vast a proportion of our effort is expended on those whose duties are in their own land—not on those who go to the Ubeatre where alone the salvation of our land is."

There is something very obviously necessary to awaken Ottawa to the dire exigencies of the time. After twenty months there can be no legitimate reason to advance why progress in the production of armaments of all kinds should not have advanced to a stage where some hundreds of thousands more than then there are should be in training to use those armaments as they are turned out on an ever-increasing scale from factory and workshop. Even such a hidebound Liberal organ as The Winnipeg Free Press admits that the time has come when more and more man-power will be needed, admits, too, by implication, that conscription may become necessary, as opposed to "requests" for troops to areas overseas. Mr. Lloyd George, ex-Premier of Mr. Mackenzie King in London, if only for a few days, would lead to his awakening to the grave realities of a situation in which, as often in so many places the arms of Empire are faced by "overwhelming odds." It would be a trip well worth while. The country's safety is at stake, the lives of its people in the balance. Ottawa must be awakened to the gravity of the situation. Nothing short of an all-out effort will do. The Nazis are on the offensive in Libya and Egypt by sandstorms and several other factors; the fall of Greece and Yugoslavia, the Axis control of the Balkans, the Nazi control of the Mediterranean. Also dive after the twenty-mile Channel, the outbreak of operations fighting in Iran, where British troops are being attacked; marked intensification of the air war on the home front; very British and Germany, the institution of United States sea and air patrols over a part of Atlantic, and fresh "peace" feelers, said to have emanated from Germany via Japan. The actual fighting was brief. At the week ended Germany was faced with the most crucial decision of the war whether to follow Italian adventures in a mass battle for the Mediterranean bowl, or to concentrate all of her strength on the Great Britain. Britain waited that decision upon the self-sacrificing of her of field equipment in Greece, by the brilliant, prompt work made under Ministers of the Royal Navy. On this continent, Canada brought down a $10,000,000 Nazi espionage organization, responsible for extensive credits in the United States.

The evacuation of close to 50,000 United Kingdom, Anzac, Greek and Yugoslav troops from the Gulf of Argos and twelve hours battle in Southern Greece gave Britain a masterly recovery from one of the gravest pitches in the twenty-month-old war. It was a victory of the "we can play is here." Avoiding the sickness of defeat, the British Navy made certain with approximately four-fifths of the entire Allied forces brought into safety, and the Royal Navy defied Greek. Thirty thousand men were sacrificed in a desperate fight against odds. The Greeks put the enemy out of the Thermopylae and Salonika pass, and the balance in quick contrast in succeeding days. British troops, entrenched in Crete, and apparently lay screening in the wings by day, and fresh troops for the battle in night by day, the steaming vessels were attacked after from the air and drove off the dive bombers and held their course. Nazi nurses and scores of wounded were embarked from the base hospitals. When the whole operation was over approximately twenty the Royal Navy had lost two destroyers, one footed transport, one fleet ferry, mechanical vessels, but it has saved an army entire in the field. The loss of casualties, dead and dreyed field equipment left in Greece was considerable, but the equipment was put out of commission first. Even rolling stock on the Greek railways was telescoped by the Royal Engineers, and it would not be long before Germany, British known in the Greeks, day battle were placed tentatively at 1,000 dead, wounded and missing, and prisoners, probably less than 10,000 men in all. Nazi losses in reserves and Axis losses were many times greater.

The Axis spread its advantage on the north alone of the Mediterranean, but without decisive consequences. Nazi-occupied Northern Yugoslavia was partitioned into a Croatia and Serbia, the latter being revived also parts of the Dalmatian coast. The Luftwaffe pounded Malta, Cyprus and Crete, and in Crete gave a fitting welcome. Germans occupied a frigate in the Gulf of Aegean Sea, facing the Dardanelles, breaking the Bosphorus. Nazi Dodecanese in Italian hands toward the south. There was talk at Teheran in Iran, of a "fifth column" in the Mediterranean would take part. Turkey explained to Britain, Germany, Italy, Russia, Spain and Japan. Turkey, a strip of Europe and said nothing. The Italian fleet, kept in its place, proved ports. Meanwhile in Libya, Italo-German columns made a second drive, attempting to take Tobruk, defeating basically into the desert. Axis forces in Iraq and Syria. Vichy was attacked repeatedly by land and its outer defences breached in one place. The Nazis Navy lost quick aid, shelling Algiers. Ill Chinese Dive Bombers, Tripoli British sorties were made from Malta, bombing of airports there. Sandstorms, fierce hot and biting, slowed the Libyan campaign to a necessary halt. In East Africa, British forces, instituting South African, Indian, Sudan, and Kenya, merge eastern and western units in a last drive against Italian remnants holding out in the hills. The Axis was poised but did not go anywhere much.

On the home front, Mr. Churchill announced that the United States had taken a decisive step in patrolling Atlantic patrols by sea and air, permitting British vessels to concentrate in the Mediterranean. A patch of submarine-infested water between the United Kingdom and Eire was thus lessened. The Luftwaffe dance hall in Belfast, Northern Ireland, including Plymouth, Portsmouth and Liverpool—each raided several times and Plymouth five times. Dover-Cape City has good as a five-hour duel, which may has been battery ranging. The Luftwaffe fried a 100-plane day raid over the Channel; but was met by British Spitfires and Hurricanes back suddenly and hard. The R.A.F. pounded Berlin, Brest, Kiel, Emden Bremen, Antwerp, Dieppe, Texel Island and other points; using a new heavy bomb, and adding over-seas dropper in German hands by night. Spot raids were made by day. Air bases for Axis on the domestic front were bombed. Nazi Air Force attacked British planes over Britain during the month; while British bases were attacked by day and night; orders attacking fortified naval ports. London was left alone, but over-pressed Luftwaffe drives were concentrated on British ports by bombers operating Alpha Beta, with Italian peace terms were being bruited as the week ended, but the Axis was a long way from peace. Mr. Churchill's speech pointed out the road for the democracies clearly. The democracies have merely begun their fight. Nevertheless they are going through to the end—the end of Hitler, the end of Nazi domination, the end of that madman's odile that distempers a whole world.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

British Tradition

"As remains of a great Empire we have inherited from our fathers the traditional manner in war and peace." In these brief phrases Alpha Beta, well known in Canada, Australia to Great Britain in normal times, from the capital of the vessel this short enunciation of the code of ethics which the Navy, Merchant Marine of the sea captains who are keeping the trade routes of the Empire open to Britain. In an account of the trip of a Nazis raider, which for the time the ship entered the danger zone (as regards has scarcely been seen before) Alpha Beta called the bridge One hundred merchant ships, the Navy, the Air Force, swarming their way in or out of British ports. She wrote a letter Editor Commander Tait, the man who sent the note quoted.—O H N

Healthy Victuals

From an Eastern newspaper "Today, tonight, the nation is compelled to turn again to the wholesome food grain, cheese, milk, leafy vegetables, dried fruits and dried fruits because they give the best vigor energy. If the prices of these products are considered too high, substitute the first and foremost, even the cheapest kind. I am having the Prime Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King, to take a crop of peas and beans on Alpha Street. As soon as the plants grow an inch or two I will pick the savings slip them off and carry them away. I'll need some carts, but the insects grew so large after a few days that I had to use the Prime Minister traps and catch them with cheese for bait. Now and if I might have to purchase canned peas and beans if I can't get enough of them."

According to the weekly edition of The Times, London, postwomen in Britain, "Mr. Churchill's Connection

An item in the Bridgeport, Connecticut, Herald, mentions that 902 persons, half of them women, were married there in April, which, it appears, if it is them would be known. According to Bridgeport Mr. Lee, if not round friend, Aubrey, ever was knighted, he would undoubtedly take the title of Sir Cumberland.

War economy labels to pale over-emphasis. Are we making their way here from England? Are we the instructors? To faster, fold this label along the line so as to seal it and cover the old address. Open by sitting along this edge.—O S

Sunrise and Sunset

	May 4	May 5	May 6	May 7
Victoria—Sunrise	5:18	5:17	5:16	5:15
Victoria—Sunset	8:11	8:12	8:13	8:14
Vancouver—Sunrise	5:11	5:10	5:09	5:08
Vancouver—Sunset	8:04	8:05	8:06	8:07
Prince Rupert—Sunrise	5:01	5:00	4:59	4:58
Prince Rupert—Sunset	8:15	8:16	8:17	8:18
Calgary—Sunrise	5:07	5:06	5:05	5:04
Calgary—Sunset	8:17	8:18	8:19	8:20
Edmonton—Sunrise	5:09	5:08	5:07	5:06
Edmonton—Sunset	8:19	8:20	8:21	8:22
Winnipeg—Sunrise	4:44	4:43	4:42	4:41
Winnipeg—Sunset	8:16	8:17	8:18	8:19
Toronto—Sunrise	5:30	5:29	5:28	5:27
Toronto—Sunset	7:58	7:59	8:00	8:01
Montreal—Sunrise	5:09	5:08	5:07	5:06
Montreal—Sunset	7:54	7:55	7:56	7:57
Halifax—Sunrise	5:32	5:31	5:30	5:29
Halifax—Sunset	7:44	7:45	7:46	7:47

Moonrise—Victoria, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Calgary, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Edmonton, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Winnipeg, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Toronto, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Montreal, May 4, 10:01 p.m.; Halifax, May 4, 10:01 p.m.

Moonset—Victoria, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Calgary, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Edmonton, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Winnipeg, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Toronto, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Montreal, May 5, 10:01 a.m.; Halifax, May 5, 10:01 a.m.

Whatever a people becomes more concerned with the means than with the meanings and ends of life the hand of writing on the wall.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted unless over the signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 400 words in length.

REVERENCE OF GREECE

Sir,—May I, through the medium of your paper, offer a hope and suggestion. That all the churches on Sunday will give thanks to God for His wonderful deliverance of our gallant troops from Greece. It was as surely a miracle as was the evacuation of Dunkirk. Do not people realize that British planes over Britain during the month; while British losses were slight, the Nazi day and night raiders attacking fortified naval ports. London was left alone, but over-pressed Luftwaffe drives were concentrated on British ports by bombers operating Alpha Beta, with Italian peace terms were being bruited as the week ended, but the Axis was a long way from peace. Mr. Churchill's speech pointed out the road for the democracies clearly. The democracies have merely begun their fight. Nevertheless they are going through to the end—the end of Hitler, the end of Nazi domination, the end of that madman's odile that distempers a whole world.

PARENT-TEACHER COUNCIL

Sir—The executive of the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council who recently were hosts to the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation in convention at the Empress Hotel, wish to thank the following for their kind assistance and courtesy shown:

Mr. Hodges and the staff of the Empress Hotel for many courteous attentions; the Mr. Ferguson, of the Greatamer Co., Vancouver, for the Pabst pat the cake for the supplies; the Victoria School Board, for the use of the Crystal Garden; Mr. H. S. Hurn and the players in "The Rivals"; Mr. Groves, Mr. Hodgins, Mr. Roger Deslisle, Miss Dorothy Parsons, Mr. John Ferguson, Mr. Ernest Lawrence, Mr. Bertrand Black, Miss Rita Nevard, Miss Jessie Pattock, Miss Dorothy Pembridge and the pupils of Central and their pupils, who painted the Empress Hotel windows; Mr. J. Smethurst, Miss Mae Croft, Miss Edith Cavell Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. W. Johns, Miss Hazel King, of the Victoria Public Library, for allowing the Council to use the library books, the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides for tabulating and pasting Mrs. A. B. Christie and Mrs. H. S. Hurn, for arranging the War Savings Stamp Contest; Mr. J. H. Ross and Mrs. U. Ley, for julips; Mr. Ernest Lawrence, Mr. J. H. Cunningham, for the public address system; Mr. Ernest Hunt and Mr. Lloyd Baker, of The Times, and Mr. Bill Fletcher, of The Colonist, for the Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Mrs. T. W. A. Gray, for lending her Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Mrs. Gray, and Mr. Anstey, for art work.

Letters of appreciation are being received daily, and the thanks now returned to their homes, and Mr. Ernest Lawrence, Mr. Roger Deslisle, Mr. George Ingledew, wish to pass these thanks on to their workers, vacancy and members who all worked so enthusiastically to make this the outstanding British Columbia Parent-Teacher convention to date.

Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, of Washington enjoyed their stay so much and found Victoria and its setting so suitable, that they decided to hold the border conference here in Victoria, in 1942. Congratulations.

President,
Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council, Victoria, B.C.
April 30, 1941.

PRISONERS-OF-WAR

Sir,—Mr. Ernest Lawrence Robinson that it is very slack to have allowed so many prisoners to escape from the Japanese, regardless of nationality, or our political views, but Mr. Robinson forgets that the which he regretted. Surely we could have prevented the traffic, peace and pleaded for merciful treatment for all conquered people and prisoners from enemy hands. Surely the world is a good thing that the Red Cross has been allowed organization for the humane treatment of all prisoners.

GEORGINA HOMER-HARRISON
"Pentrifle" Royal Oak, B.C. May 2, 1941.

ASTROLOGICAL PROPHECY

Sir,—Without making any comment on the ostentatious and apologetic astrological prophecy of draw your attention to the attached clipping from the Victoria Daily Colonist of Free Press of Winnipeg issue of June 12 1936 and take kept out of curiosity.

It would also be of interest to Greyer people than mine, if some one would state what conjunction of the Planet put the nation for the man in the street is expected to do on Sunday.

LONDON Eng. June 18—Some major upheaval possibly war or a revolution, will occur in Germany on May 11, 1941. The prediction comes from two expert astrologers who have accepted a challenge from Dr. Spencer Jones, astronomer royal, to predict well in advance the significance of a series of important events. Dr. Jones challenged the Nazi astrologers are Hon Ralph Shirley and Mr. Cyril Fagan, prominent astrologers among the group that peak to interpret the effect of heavenly bodies on human affairs.

ALBERT REWITT.
Errington, B.C. May 2, 1941.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

Sir—With reference to the letter from Mr. John Thompson (long gap) Greek—Langley Prairie—and which appeared in The Colonist of May 3 (Mr. Mr. Thompson) and those on whose behalf he writes should have no true within stating the cold unvarnished truth. Mr. Thompson is definitely entitled to communicate his grievous predicament to the press and now arises the question. What are we, the public, going to do about it? Surely we, the people, have the right, extend the cheap sympathy and pass such commonplace remarks such as "Isn't it a shame?" "Poor old fellow!" and similar. "Cannot something be done, we hear such an appalling tale of affairs!" and so forth.

Mr. Thompson states, Many of us are entitled to a full old age pension of $30 per month for two old people (not for one as Mr. Thompson intended by the art. Twenty dollars a month for two people. He pitiful. Twenty dollars a month! Who knows what they have to pay out of that wretched pittance? Who knows given by a "Liberal" Government. It, positively defeats me how they do it, even on it, and it is simply be interesting to know of the financial experts in either the Provincial or Federal Parliament Building could advise the problem. Those who have experience in considering, in their expert opinions that two elderly people should live and enjoy the rights or life—we are in British Columbia, not Nazi Germany—should be paid the salary. Not the only maintenance of their home in office and their tenure right out on their ear.

It is implied in the letter that these relief payments may be entirely discretionary. Mr. Mr. Ross and the question is asked, how are we to live? The question is partly answered by Mr. Thompson: "Why not assist at once that we are to live on mere Westminster and be short?" I ask the public: Could anything more heart-rending than elderly people having to be confronted with such an appalling aside of affairs than this? He states, and presumably writing also on behalf of Mrs. Ross, that we are going overseas. We have done our work. We are to be known in the Mrs. Ross's a freedom dead here, when we are told that (I so result we shall not get every thing we ask for) now. Imagine three some overseas having to think of we do not get, or we are parents might be found on the dust heap or to say the least, the Mrs. Ross's and Mr. Thompson's to and yet every day we hear: "Fate in the farm." "Fate in all the front line now" etc.

Mr. Editor and the general public, we endeavor to be good citizens, politicians out on their neck and replace them with less fatal Mr. Thompson in courage of their convictions to accomplish not only the remedying of these malpractices, but to also at nothing until they have responsible organization for humane treatment of all prisoners of the Dominions and the fragment of dirt under the heel of a European power.

GEORGE FINLAY
Scott Apartments, Douglas Street, Victoria B.C., May 2, 1941

A CORD OF WOOD

Sir—Perhaps some of your readers will kindly answer if I am correct in stating there should be 128 cubic feet in one solid cord of firewood. There is no doubt the merchant is honest and wishes to give but it is a solid block measurement. Therefore, when the material is thrown into the truck you will find a shortage of about one-third. Why should this be when we pay for a full cord. If theft drivers would stack the wood in their trucks we all would be getting nearer to what we are entitled to. Let us have full weights and measures. Goodness only knows the poor old people are suffering with a paltry $20 per month which is far inadequate under the present conditions. Let us get a square deal.

F. HARTLEY
1351 Cook Street, Victoria B.C., May 3, 1941.

ALEXANDER IS GONE

Sir—The well known and much-photographed Canada Goose of the Quadrium Beach Hotel Golf Course, which has been seen with the flock of sheep on the course since early last Fall, has finally succumbed to the call of the North. Last night, April 30, loud honking was heard from the golf course, and this morning Alexander had departed for points north. We hope he will pay us a return visit in the Fall of this year.

Since the arrival of this Spring's new lambs, Alexander was developing into an expert herder and nurse-maid, or watchdog for the new lambs, rounding them up immediately any of them strayed from the ewes and with great business and flapping of wings, driving them back to their mothers.

The course isn't quite the same without Alexander!

F. G. WALKER,
Manager,
Quadrium Beach Hotel, Quadrium Beach, B.C., May 1, 1941.

Tides at Victoria

MAY

Times of tides (Pacific Standard Time) by Captain R. L. Ker (at the meridian of 120 W.)

Day	Time	Ht.	Day	Time	Ht.
1	3:31	7.4	16	3:16	7.4
	9:23	0.4		9:11	0.4
	15:34	7.4		15:19	7.4
	21:34	0.4		21:14	0.4
2	4:14	7.4	17	4:04	7.4
	10:07	0.4		10:00	0.4
	16:17	7.4		16:07	7.4
	22:17	0.4		22:02	0.4
3	4:57	7.4	18	4:53	7.4
	10:51	0.4		10:49	0.4
	16:59	7.4		16:56	7.4
	22:59	0.4		22:52	0.4
4	5:40	7.4	19	5:43	7.4
	11:35	0.4		11:39	0.4
	17:41	7.4		17:46	7.4
	23:41	0.4		23:44	0.4
5	6:23	7.4	20	6:34	7.4
	12:19	0.4		12:29	0.4
	18:23	7.4		18:36	7.4
	24:23	0.4		24:36	0.4
6	7:07	7.4	21	7:26	7.4
	13:04	0.4		13:19	0.4
	19:05	7.4		19:26	7.4
	25:05	0.4		25:26	0.4
7	7:52	7.4	22	8:19	7.4
	13:49	0.4		14:09	0.4
	19:49	7.4		20:16	7.4
	25:49	0.4		26:16	0.4
8	8:38	7.4	23	9:12	7.4
	14:35	0.4		15:00	0.4
	20:35	7.4		21:06	7.4
	26:35	0.4		27:06	0.4
9	9:24	7.4	24	10:05	7.4
	15:21	0.4		15:52	0.4
	21:21	7.4		21:57	7.4
	27:21	0.4		27:57	0.4
10	10:10	7.4	25	10:58	7.4
	16:07	0.4		16:44	0.4
	22:07	7.4		22:48	7.4
	28:07	0.4		28:48	0.4
11	10:56	7.4	26	11:51	7.4
	16:53	0.4		17:37	0.4
	22:53	7.4		23:40	7.4
	28:53	0.4		29:40	0.4
12	11:42	7.4	27	12:44	7.4
	17:39	0.4		18:31	0.4
	23:39	7.4		24:33	7.4
	29:39	0.4		30:33	0.4
13	12:28	7.4	28	13:37	7.4
	18:25	0.4		19:25	0.4
	24:25	7.4		25:25	7.4
	30:25	0.4		31:25	0.4
14	13:14	7.4	29	14:30	7.4
	19:11	0.4		20:18	0.4
	25:11	7.4		26:18	7.4
	31:11	0.4		32:18	0.4
15	14:00	7.4	30	15:22	7.4
	20:00	0.4		21:12	0.4
	26:00	7.4		27:12	7.4
	32:00	0.4		33:12	0.4
			31	16:14	7.4
				22:06	0.4
				28:14	7.4
				34:14	0.4

The times in Pacific Standard Time for the Pacific Meridian, which is located from the Pacific Standard Time by adding one hour. The Pacific Standard Time is the time used in Victoria and Vancouver during the summer months. Daylight Saving Time substitutes 1 hour for Pacific Standard Time. The Pacific Standard Time is the time used in the Dominion Parks and in the Dominion Forests at any time and is that by the heights of high water as shown above.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily Colonist of May 5 1891:

From Kamloops we learn that the Canadian Pacific has shipped off Cape Flattery by the Lorne, whose office to low her into Victoria. Mr. Hendryx, the agent, has left for Victoria, coming in under sail if it took him half the week. The Juna is on the Sound, and has been hauling spars for some time, sailing under her old name the Baranovia. On the present trip which she will make she will take a full general cargo for Turner Beeton & Company including large supplies of tin plates for the Inverness and Balmoral Canneries.

A Belamy Service—His Lordship Bishop Hills administered the right of confirmation, in Christ Church Cathedral, Sunday evening to a class of twelve—six ladies and six gentlemen. He also drivered two addresses, one before and one after confirmation, while the choir supplied appropriate music, very well sung. Confirmation services will be held at the Cathedral at 3 p.m. next Sunday.

An Offer for the Silver King—There is a deposit of $150,000 in this city at the present time for the first payment of a total of a million and a half dollars for the Silver King Mine of Trail Creek, Lardeau, West Kootenay. It is understood, however that the owners, among whom are the heirs of the late Richard Dey Atkins, will not consider an offer until a net sum of a million.

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Comes From Seattle to Join Forces

Harry Baker, twenty-eight-year-old Seattle youth, the first man to enlist at the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A., recruiting office opened there days ago at 614 Government Street, signing his attestation papers, with Lieut. H. W. G. Lambert (seated) and R.S.M. P. Williams looking on. On right are Jim Sharp, G. Hamilton and Marvin Young, Victoria Boys. Born in Victoria, Baker has resided in Seattle since 1922 and operated a service station there, selling it to come back to Victoria to enlist for military service.

Propaganda Editors Control Vast System For Checking Nazis

Britain's Listening Post Hears German Broadcasts Every Hour of Day and Night—Scores of Linguists Needed for Task

By OAKLEY McDOWAN
North American Newspaper Alliance

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, May 3.—Deep in the heart of the English countryside, in a never-ending Tower of Babel, 1941. In little wooden huts, clustered in a settlement reminiscent of an old-time Western boom town, are representatives of nearly every nation in the world banded together in every language and dialect.

Experts in the obvious languages—and the remote ones like Kurdish, Bantu, Tamil and Swiss Coast—their job is to listen in to German radio broadcasts, and translate them for the benefit of the British counter-propaganda service.

Here in the extraordinary cosmopolitan colony, there is a permanent body of snoopers with their ears in headphones. Working in relays—three to a minute when Germany is on the air to "natives" to whom they are individually interested. Transcribing every word they hear. It has been estimated they take down 1,000,000 words every twenty four hours—the breath of three average novels daily.

The result of their labors is passed to copy editors—sitting at what is perhaps the biggest copy desk in existence.

EDITORS AT WORK

Culling all the trimmings these editors proceed to boil down the translations to about 50,000 words. When all the edited transcriptions have been assembled they are put to bed like a newspaper every night. Hundreds of copies are run off on a duplicator.

Comes a fleet of dispatch riders. The copies are rushed to London and other key cities to be distributed among those whose job it is to know what the Nazis told the world last night. A secret and briefer digest is rushed to the War Cabinet.

When there is something deserved on the air which experts consider should be transmitted to the War Cabinet or the heads of the fighting services or something that the British Broadcasting Corporation—should reply to as once it is rushed to a special broadcasting flash department.

That flash telephoned to the proper authority—may have an immediate effect on the direction of the British war effort. Great responsibility rests on the copy editors that no harm will result—if information is buried records in the 50,000 words.

This pet-sized transcript is known as the B.B.C. monitoring service. The name derives from an English public school term. Older boys in a school are appointed to watch over their younger brothers in them, off complaints and check abuses. The B.B.C. monitoring service does that. From the digest is prepared a commentary designed to refute anti-British propaganda and kill misstatements at birth.

HARTREE'S JOB

Both Germany and Italy favor the policy of "divide to rule." They seek to drive a wedge of misunderstanding between their opponents by means of continuous verbal propaganda. In the quiet months of late 1939 and early 1940—the phoney war period—certain stations worked like beavers undermining the Franco-British front. How often they maintained England would fight to the last Frenchman and no longer!

It was a surprise to many people when they found Britain ready and even eager to fight on alone.

Now, as Britain realizes only too well, Germany, Italy and Japan are out to divide the British Empire and the United States. Britons have been told that it was America who was responsible for the war and that England sacrificed a colonial empire for fifty ancient tube destroyed as destroyers.

Few Englishmen have the opportunity of seeing these destroyers in action, so many of them are today doing their best to beat the submarine blockade. Without the monitoring system, such propaganda could go for weeks without detection by the British War Cabinet.

Similarly Americans are advised that Britain's position is hopeless and instead of supporting her with munitions Americans would do better to concentrate on arming themselves.

Such statements going unchecked, according to officials here, might soon impair present relationships.

CHANGING RECORDS

B.B.C. gives the British reply to enemy propaganda in a special broadcast to the United States. Day by day the B.B.C. is able to show America that what the Nazis say to Uncle Sam may be very different from what they say to the British or to Africa and South America.

The monitoring service in Britain could not easily be duplicated in the United States. The bulk of German and Italian broadcasts are on waves that cannot easily be found in America. Beaming from Europe they can be picked up in England, but unless the beam is directed to America they cannot be heard there. This only the British can check on all enemy propaganda.

Because of the deadly potash that can be injected into international relationships by graded propaganda the B.B.C. monitoring service has been called the fourth fighting service—the army, navy, air force and monitoring board.

It was apparently due to the collective brain waves of many myriad men of wireless radio that this revolutionary service came into being. At least that is what the motesty or decorum of the B.B.C. leads you to believe. Not word has yet been drag from their officials the name of any one man or woman responsible for this scheme. All that is allowed to be said is that Hilda Matheson (Ministry Government) heading the beaming upon it, and that the Foreign Office has commended the impressive and relevant British institution and it has its activities with much pleasure.

MINISTER SIGNS UP

REGINA, May 2 (CP).—Hon. Edward M. Culliton, youngest man to hold a Cabinet post in the Saskatchewan Government, has resigned as Provincial Secretary to go on active service with the Royal Canadian Artillery. He will retain a post in the Government, and today was sworn in as Minister Without Portfolio.

He is to leave tonight for Victoria where he will go into training school.

TAX REFUNDING IS CONSIDERED

Provincial Ratepayers May Receive $750,000 Back Before Year Ends

Sums totaling approximately $750,000, being collections of the Provincial 1 per cent levy under the Income Tax Act since January 1, 36 the date of its ultimate abandonment by the Province may eventually be refunded to British Columbia taxpayers in wage-earning and salaried groups, it was intimated yesterday at the Legislative Buildings.

Provincial Income tax officials said that they were unable to estimate the exact amount of the refunds, but that these might be in the neighborhood of $750,000 if the start of the calendar year were accepted eventually as the official date for the closing of the Province's own participation in this revenue.

ON SAME GROUPS

What provincial taxpayers may gain with one hand, however, they will lose with the other, as it is on the same wage-earning and salaried groups that the increased Federal payroll levy for war purposes will fall at several times the 1 per cent Provincial levy. Official announcement as to the rate, ultimate disposition of the 1 per cent levy after the return of British Columbia ministers from Ottawa. It was confirmed that the levy will go, and only the manner of its winding-up remains unsettled. It is there that the refunds will come in.

PRAIRIE FARMER DEAD

ALAMEDA (Sask.), May 2 (CP).—Ed Weddington, well known Southern Saskatchewan farmer, died Friday at his home here. Funeral services will be Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Weddington came to Canada from England when sixteen years old settling at Souris, Man. and later came to his homestead north of Alameda. The homestead is one of the above places of the district.

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Obituary

DIORIO A large and sympathetic congregation of friends was present yesterday morning at St. Andrew's Cathedral to attend services for Daniel Dorio. Mass was sung by Rev. Father R. J. Monahan. Many beautiful floral tributes were received. The following acted as pallbearers: E. Bianaldi, D. Cavallin, D. Gagliardi, M. Moro, D. Cifarli and O. Gorlha. S. J. Curtis and Son had charge of arrangements.

BEALL—Many friends were present yesterday afternoon at funeral services conducted by Rev. Dr. A. E. Walton for Mrs. Mary Emily Beall. The large number of beautiful floral tributes received paid tribute to the high esteem in which Mrs. Beall was held. There were two hymns, "Lead, Kindly Light," "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and a solo "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Interment took place in the Royal Oak Burial Park with the following acting as pallbearers: B. Olson, S. McGowan, T. Coward, G. D. Christie, A. J. Daniels and A. Parfitt. S. J. Curtis & Son had charge of arrangements.

ROSS—A large congregation was present at the funeral for Norman Roderick Ross held yesterday afternoon from Emmanuel United Church, Rev. Mr. Gillard, B.A., conducting the service. The hymns "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me" were sung. A profusion of beautiful floral tributes was received. Members of H.M.C.S. Naden were the pallbearers. The firing squad was in attendance and the "Last Post" was sounded by Buglar Albert. The garrisage conveyed the remains to the Naval Cemetery for interment. Hayworth & B.C. Funeral Co. was in charge.

CHRISTIAN — Funeral services were conducted at Powell River yesterday for John Guy Christian, sixty-three, who succumbed to a heart ailment in St. Luke's Hospital, Powell River, Wednesday night. Born at Ludington, Mich., May 24, 1878, Mr. Christian went to the Mainland three years ago from Victoria and took up residence at Lund, B.C. He was predeceased by his wife ten years ago. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Collen-Lund, a sister, Mrs. Ella Burnell, and three brothers, Charles, Leo and Herbert, in the Okanagan. Mr. Christian was a B.C. Electric motorman in Victoria for eleven years.

STANLAKE—There passed away suddenly yesterday afternoon, Chester Stanlake. Mr. Stanlake was born in Ontario and had resided in this city for over fifteen years. He had been associated with the Victoria Island Coach Lines for a number of years. He is survived by three daughters, Dorothy, Ruth and Peri, and two sons, Kenneth and Fred. The remains are resting at the B. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home and announcement of the funeral will be made later.

RUSTA—The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Thursday of Mrs. Eina Rusta, widow of Andrew Rusta, of 2815 Cedar Hill Road, aged eighty-nine years. She was born in Kent, England, and had been a resident of this city for almost sixty-five years. She leaves one brother, James Muneri, in California, and seven nieces and nephews. The remains are resting in Hayworth & B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

McNEILL—The funeral of John Malcolm McNeill will be held on Monday leaving Hayworth & B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m., proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral. Sacred Requiem Mass will be sung at 9 and interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery. Prayers will be offered in the chapel this evening at 8.30 o'clock.

NAIRNITH — Many sympathizing friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Anne Sarah Nairnith held yesterday afternoon from Hayworth & B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. L. W. McLean conducting the service. The hymns "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me" were sung. The following were the pallbearers: G. Hamilton, Harman E. H. Wilson, Capt. R. W. McMorran, C. B. Bowman, E. W. McMillan and A. N. Mouat. The remains were laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CARTWRIGHT — Many friends attended funeral services for John Edward Cartwright which were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Rev. C. D. Clarke conducted the service, during which the hymns "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer, Nearer" were sung. In Colwood Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: E. V. McLintre, J. Roe, J. D. McNeill, P. Stoddart and W. T. Yeo.

HARTREE—Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Betty Hartree. Rev. Canon Stocken conducted the service, during which the hymns "Onto the Hills" and "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" were sung. Cremation took place in Royal Oak Crematorium with the following as pallbearers: O. M. Prentice, T. Hartree, J. A. Hallire, T. J. Mannette, H. D. Patterson and E. Bell.

FORBES—Rev. J. R. Fife conducted services in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon for Miss Agnes A. Forbes. The hymn sung was "Abide With Me". A large number of overseas nursing sisters attended the service in a body and also served as final bearers. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park with the following as pallbearers: W. R. Fleet, C. Morrison, J. Owen, W. Rodney, R. Knight and J. A. Law-Beattie.

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REPORTS SHIPS SAFE AT SUEZ

Vichy Claims Twenty-Six American Vessels at Canal With War Goods

VICHY, France, May 2 (AP)—Diplomatic informants who usually

circumstantially reprise that twenty-six American merchant ships, placed to the hands with war material for the British Middle Eastern armies and accompanied by American warships, had reached the Suez Canal.

The word used by the informants to describe the reported presence of United States naval vessels was that they were "convoying" the merchant ships.

In Washington, the Navy Department stated immediately upon receipt of the report: "No United States ships are employed in convoy duty."

Maritime sources, however, said it was quite possible that the merchant ships reported at Suez had left United States shores with 75-mm. cannon and other material intended for Greece and Yugoslavia, and, while it has been understood that these vessels were manning Yugoslav and Greek freighters, some informed sources suggested that American vessels also might have headed for Suez via the Cape of Good Hope.

TWELVE NAZI PLANES DOWN

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Plymouth. Explosive and firebombs showered down hour after hour throughout the night and it was feared the loss of lives and destruction of property were heavy.

Fire fighters and air raid precaution squad members who had toiled all day clearing away debris and digging for victims worked ceaselessly amid the new wreckage.

Other Merseyside areas also suffered, the northeast coastal district was bombed, and London had raids.

Reaches Venerable Age

GEORGE LARAMER

A TOTAL of 104 years relia but not slightly on the shoulders of George Laramer, 2460 Ashworth Street, who will observe another birthday tomorrow. He is not, as he says, every morning Mr Laramer gets to his home some best wishes. Is and 10 20 p.m. he told a Colonist reporter. "I'm getting old," he said, "so I take a rest in the afternoon. If I feel like sleep." Yesterday, the centenarian who has been a miner, prospector and logger in the United States, and in parts of the Yukon, resulted this days in the United States Civil War. "I served with the 17th Wisconsin Regiment from Green Bay for four years and got my discharge in 1865, and I've been around a lot since," Mr. Laramer said that he fought under the famous American general, U. S. Grant and added that many of the best regiments were composed largely of Canadian volunteers.

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City and District

Six Fined—Six motorists were each fined $250 yesterday in the city police court for various infractions of parking regulations.

Wardens to Meet—An important meeting of all the wardens under District Warden A. Cullen, M. will be held at Cloverdale School on Thursday at 8 p.m.

Gets Federal Contract—L. O. Scott of Victoria, has been awarded a contract by the Federal Department of Public Works to construct an engineers dwelling at Colwood at a cost of $0,037, it was announced here yesterday.

Need Articles—The City Welfare Department is in urgent need of a single bed and mattress, a comfort, a table armchair, and a chair with a leg rest for destitute persons. Those able to assist are asked to telephone G 8104 on Monday.

Tender Found—A radio tube tester stolen from the car of John Parsons, 1250 McKenzie Street, was found under the Johnson Street railway viaduct at 8 o'clock yesterday morning by Jeff King, 824 Belcarra Avenue.

Old-Age Pensioners—The general meeting of old age pensioners will be held on Tuesday in the First Baptist Church rooms. Quadra and Mason streets, at 2.30 p.m. All members are asked to attend, also persons sixty years or over are invited.

Ward One Ratepayers—Ward One Ratepayers Association will hold its monthly meeting at 8 p.m. on Monday at Cedar Hill School. Councillor John Wasson has kindly promised to attend and explain the years tax rate and budget.

Tag Day Results—Taggers who worked in co-operation with the B.P.O.E. exercise committee yesterday netted the sum of $271 as a result of its down tagging. The committee in large votes to thank the people for its kind donations and to those who assisted in the tagging.

Native Sons of B.C.—A special meeting of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will be held tomorrow evening at Room 210, Union Bank Building. Members are requested to note the change of meeting place. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock.

Receives Injury—Mrs. F. Tunley, of 702 Pembroke Avenue, sustained a fractured rib when she fell at 10 o'clock yesterday afternoon while she fell on the sidewalk outside 1418 Douglas Street. She was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital and attended by Dr. C. W. Duff.

Visit Nard Men—Aldermen W. H. Davies and P. E. George members of the Victoria Council visited the Aged Men's Home on Friday. The monthly donation was made to nonpensioners by Alderman Davies who is secretary of the Landsberg fund. A chocolate bar were distributed.

Oak Bay Conservatives—The Oak Bay District Conservative Association will hold a meeting at 41 Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, on Tuesday, commencing at 8 p.m. to discuss general business and organization matters, it was announced yesterday by George F. Salmon, honorary secretary.

Auxiliary Corps—Fire Chief Alex Munro has been asked by fire warden in prepare plans for an auxiliary fire fighting corps to be attached as the department in the case of air damage. Wardens suggested that expert truck drivers and young men in good physical condition would make satisfactory volunteers.

Slightly Injured—Phyllis Goring, 486 Fraser Street, suffered possible injuries to the right foot and a bruised knee when the bicycle was struck yesterday by a car driven by Earl Lehman, of 637 Niagara Street. Mr. Lehman was driving west on Fraser when the accident occurred, police report. He took the injured home.

Showers Have Helped—Scattered showers in the coast area immediately before the week-end helped farmers, orchardists, poultry-men and market gardeners in the Saanich district, it was learned yesterday by a Colonist reporter. A down pluvia were under way throughout the province but no large fires had been reported.

City Temperatures—Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 57 and 40 degrees, respectively. The maximum temperature observed on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 58 degrees, and the minimum 47 degrees. The precipitation at the latter location was .06 of an inch.

To Represent Union—R. P. Melnyk, director of the Pacific Coast Joint Bureau, Sam Francisco, of Gervin, chairman of the advisory board and John Weaver, of the Vancouver office of the bureau, will act for the Canadian Union employees in arbitration hearings to open in Vancouver on May 9, it was said here yesterday. The arbitration will be conducted by a Provincial board formed under the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act.

Men Sentenced—For breaking and entering the Empress Garage with intent to commit theft, Gordon Ward, 20, Acme McDougall was sentenced yesterday in the city police court to serve one year in prison as hard labor. Edwin Le Roy McKenzie charged with the same offence, was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary. He received an additional concurrent term of three months for breaking an electric razor stolen from the Northern Electric Co. Ltd.

"Hawaiia"—The chorus and orchestra taking part in the forthcoming performance of "Hawaiia" in aid of the Red Cross Society will rehearse at 2.30 this afternoon in the Memorial Hall. During the afternoon records of "Hawaiia" as performed by the Royal Choral Society in London, will be played. Part practices for "Hawaiia" will be held on Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. on Friday in the Memorial Hall and for tenors and basses on Monday evenings in the Arion Club rooms.

Solarium Report — The medical superintendent's report for the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children for April follows: Number of patients in the Solarium, 61; number of patients in Jubilee Hospital 1; admissions during April, 4; dismissals during April, 4; operations 2, operations 1; number of patients expired 1; general anaesthetic, manipulation and cast applied 3; casts taken for reliudoid, 3; X-ray taken, 36; phototherapy treatments and treatments, 436, and laboratory examinations, 328.

Late Returns—The following late subscriptions, over $10 in the Greater War Services drive, which were successfully recently, were announced yesterday: Alma Mater Society, Victoria College $100, Burns & Co. Ltd., $100; O. H. Dorman min. $15, H.M.C.S. Naden, Canteen Fund, $25, Lieut. Col. A. C. H. Cooke $70, H.M.C.S. Naden wardroom officers' mess, $25, Dr. J. A. McCurdy $16, O. S. Ormond $20, Miss H. M. Bargent, $15, United Commercial Travellers, $10, and T. J. Wachter, $10.

WILKIE WOULD DELIVER GOODS

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Proper (Dem., Florida) would express similar views in a Senate speech Monday. Several other legislators were said to be withholding public statements of that nature because of uncertainty as to whether they might prove embarrassing to President Roosevelt.

Senator Charles Tobey (Rep. New Hampshire), author of an anti-convoy resolution, commended Gaffney's statement and Pepper's protected speech were part of the Administration program to pave the way for convoys.

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"National unity is so all-important that I do not want to see people's minds closed and diverted by inflammatory discussion and the use of personalities."

Wilkie's statements were made in response to questions about a statement in his magazine article stating that this country should send Britain both war and merchant ships and should, "if necessary" see that tankers be delivered safely to the ports of Western and Northern England.

The Republican candidate said he had attempted to eliminate the words "if necessary" after he had written his article but that it was too late to change the text before publication.

TRAFFIC DEATH, TOLL IS RAISED BY TWO

VANCOUVER, May 3 (CP)—Vancouver's traffic death toll for 1941 rose to twenty today with the death, in hospital, of Alexander Gordon McGregor, thirty-seven. Injured early today when struck by an automobile while crossing a street, he was also was injured.

McGregor's death was the second traffic fatality in twenty-four hours. Hayden Rudolf, seventy-three, of Hindu, died early today from injuries suffered when struck by an automobile last night.

ZONING COMMITTEE IS CREATED HERE

Committees composed of building contractors and labor representatives have been established in Victoria and Vancouver to advise the Government on air wartime emergency fighting. Leslie Brent W. A. Livingstone and E. V. Johnson represent contractors interests on the local committee, with Charles Chivers, Jack Cook, Alex Simms and J. Barber[illegible] time as was first proposed, the local group was set up to represent Vancouver Island and the Vancouver committee to represent the Mainland.

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THURSDAY, MAY 1st—Garden Tea, Victoria Branch of the British Red Cross Society, Beacon Hill Park, Victoria, Tea, 3 to 5 P.M. Admission 10c. Mrs. H. D. Wilson, President; Mrs. Ivy Tolmie, Vice President; Mrs. Ivy Tolmie, Secretary; Mrs. Ivy Tolmie, Treasurer.
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70	30.90	15.75	10.71	8.19	6.68	5.57
80	36.00	18.38	12.50	9.56	7.79	6.62
90	41.20	21.00	14.28	10.92	8.91	7.44
100	46.35	23.64	16.07	12.29	10.02	8.31
200	91.50	46.36	31.85	24.65	20.13	16.62
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600	274.30	139.95	95.63	73.97	60.41	49.90
700	319.95	163.35	111.57	86.31	70.48	58.22
800	365.60	186.75	127.51	98.64	80.55	66.54
900	411.25	210.15	143.46	111.00	90.62	74.86
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1100	502.55	256.95	175.35	135.64	110.76	91.50
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Women's Organizations and Activities

Clubs and Societies

Canadian Daughters' League Assembly No. 8, met on Thursday evening in the Shrine Hall, with Mrs. C. Jasper in the chair. Committees appointed for the coming year were Mrs. A. C. Ross, convener of laws and legislation; Mrs. R. H. McHaffie, education; Mrs. R. Milburn and Mrs. D. Craven, auditing. Mrs. Craven volunteered to take charge of the assembly's sewing for the Relicarium for another year. A shower for articles to make up "bombed out" kits will be held at the next meeting on May 13. All members are requested to bring donations. The assembly agreed to dispense with some of its social meetings in favor of sewing for refugees for the duration of the war. Mrs. M. Bray will have charge of this work. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Laxton. The president gave an interesting report of the Provincial Council convention, held recently in Vancouver. Members are reminded of the drive for new members. The meeting closed with the singing of "God Save the King." Mrs. Norman Taylor showed beautiful motion pictures of a steamer trip from Vancouver to Alaska, including scenes taken on Vancouver Island. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. A special guest at the meeting was Mrs. May Brierley, provincial secretary of the C.D.L. Mrs. Brierley brought inspiring on the same day she was presented with a corsage bouquet of roses and a pitcher of Red China by Mrs. Jasper, on behalf of those present.

Chemainus W.B.A.

The Business meeting of the W.B.A. Branch No. 19 was held on May 1, with Mrs. P. Erickson, the president, in the chair. Mrs. Cecil Loughlin, junior supervisor reports. Three new members were reported. Twenty juniors and six members attended. Games and contests were held for the children, and mothers served following refreshments, each child was given an Easter novelty. The junior service was reported that a doll's competition was being held for junior funds. A donating tea will be held by the apron committee on May 20. Following the next meeting a Mothers' Day programme and social will be held, and following the June 18 meeting will be a social for husbands and friends. A letter of thanks was received from the Guide committee for use of dishes and tables at the recent Guide event. Notice was received of Hospital Day being held at the local hospital May 11, and members asked to attend. Refreshments were served, the table being dainty with lily of the valley blooms.

Cathedral Parish Guild

St. Henrietta's Auditorium will give an address on Excursion for Blind in the Memorial Hall Auditorium on Friday, May 8 at 3 p.m. Preceding the address the Women's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral will hold a short business meeting in the guild room at 2.00 p.m. At 4 o'clock a silver tea will be held and the proceeds will be divided between the guild and the Cathedral Sewing Circle for all clothing and woolies to be sent in the hospital areas in Great Britain will be on display. Ladies from the various parishes who assisted with the synod luncheons will be special guests.

Daughters of St. George

The regular business meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 228 was held on Friday evening in the R.O.B. Hall, the president, Mrs. M. Wright in the chair. The report of the knitting comforts committee was read. Members who have articles finished are asked to bring them to the next meeting so that shipments can be made for the men overseas. Mrs. Parsons reported on a successful card party held recently. Mrs. Cowsden and her committee were thanked for an enjoyable luncheon held on St. George's Day. On the eve of her marriage, Miss Nutton was presented with a beautiful silver flower basket, with the best wishes of the lodge. Plant were made and committees chosen for the annual garden party to be held on June 4 at the home of Mrs. A. Restall, with Mrs. J. Beadle as general convener. Members are requested to attend the next meeting when the election of officers will take place, followed by a court whist party.

Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. F. Love, who is to be married shortly to Mr. E. Pearson, Harrison Hot Springs, was entertained at a miscellaneous shower recently by Mrs. N. Lyon, 186 Burnside Road. The gifts were presented to the guest of honor in a box decorated in shades of mauve and yellow. Amusing games were played during the evening, the winners being Mrs. E. Love and Mrs. G. Call. A buffet supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. T. Lewis. The invited guests were Mesdames M. Sargeant, B. T. Lewis, J. White, A. Brown, H. White, J. B. Smith, J. Griffiths, W. O. Drake, H. Hix, R. Carter, G. Call, H. Hetherington, R. Paton, H. Sweetman, and Misses Nora O'Connel and Betty Corfe.

Metropolitan W.A.

The May meeting of Metropolitan United W.A. was held on Friday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. P. H. Parsons, in the chair. Mrs. Pettigrew opened the meeting with devotional service of song and prayer. Mrs. Jones lit 17. Miss E. Harte was appointed to see that the resolution re sale of liquor be sent to the various church societies and their endorsement and sent to the Provincial and Federal members and to the Minister of War. A varied and interesting programme has been prepared for Wednesday afternoon in the schoolroom, when the W.A. group combine in putting on a May-time tea. The following artists will take part: Beverley Saunderson, song; will sing and dance. Carmen Jones will also dance. Joy Berman will give a violin solo, accompanied by Frank Morgan. Jean Dumerton will sing and Barbara Jones will recite. After the meeting was dismissed, the majority of the ladies went to a linen shower at the Orphanage.

Hollywood Sunday School L.A.

The April meeting of the Hollywood Sunday School Ladies' Aid was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Taylor, Beechwood Avenue, with a good attendance of members present. Final arrangements were made for a Springtime tea, which will take place in the Sunday school hall, Hillwood Avenue, on Friday afternoon from 3 to 5.30 o'clock. Mrs. Kyle will present a short programme of music and there will be stalls for home cooking and miscellaneous articles convened by Mrs. Cosworth and Mrs. Baxin respectively. Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Gay are in charge of the afternoon tea and Mesdames Taylor and Hyslop will receive the guests. Proceeds will go towards the upkeep of the Sunday school hall. This being part of the work of the Ladies' Aid.

Jubilee Alumnae

At a recent meeting of the Alumnae held at the Nurses' Home, plans were made for the annual Talent dance to be held at the Yacht Club on May 22. Funds received from this dance will be used to help furnish the new wing of the hospital. Members of the executive and dance committee will meet on Tuesday, May 6, at the home of Miss J. Laurie, 1002 Vancouver Street, to arrange further details.

Bad Card Party

The Perpetual Help Credit Union held a successful bard party recently at its rooms on Fort Street, the president, Mrs. J. J. O'Brien, and secretary, Mr. H. O. Hinton, expressing themselves as well pleased with the results. The prize winners were First, ladies: Mrs. A. Grant, gentlemen: Mr. Clay; New Woodminner: Mrs. Alex Gillis was in charge of the refreshments served at the close of the evening.

Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

The May meeting of the Rockland Park W.C.T.U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. W. J. Pope, 1110 Greenwood Street (No. 4 street car can transfer to this at Head Street). Mrs. M. Struthers will be the guest speaker. The mobile canteen fund will be closed tomorrow.

Oak Bay C.W.L. Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church and Oak Bay subdivision of the C.W.L. will be held at the home of Mrs. P. J. Nolan, 3090 Upper Terrace, the Uplands, tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Tuberculosis Veterans' W.A.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculosis Veterans will be held on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. at the clubrooms, 812 Blanshard Street. All members are asked to attend.

Princess Alexandra Lodge

Lodge Princess Alexandra, No. 18, Daughters of England, will hold a social evening for members and friends at the home of Mrs. G. M. Baker, 2720 Craigmillar Road, on Thursday, at 8 p.m.

Britannia Branch W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, are asked to be the guests of the Britannia Fragmentis at a concert to be held in the board room tomorrow at 8 p.m.

Junior Catholics

The meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League will be held at the home of Miss K. Nesbitt, 1020 Pemberton Street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Ex-Telephone Operators

The Ex-Telephone Operators will hold a tea in Spencer's dining-room on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. All ex-telephone operators will be welcome.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild

A successful card party was held by the Ladies' Guild of St. Alban's Church recently. The next regular meeting will be held on May 13 at 2.30 p.m.

Langford Guild

The meeting of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, will be held on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. at "Upper Cragside," the home of Mrs. R. J. Smith, Langford Lake.

Jubilee Junior W.A.

The nominating meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Junior W.A. will be held tomorrow at 2.30 o'clock at the nurses' home. All members are asked to attend.

Benefit Association

The regular meeting of the Women's Benefit Association will be held in the Royal Bank Hall, corner of Cook and Fort Streets, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock.

St. Mary's

St. Mary's Senior Afternoon Branch of the W.A. will meet in the parish hall on Thursday afternoon, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Brimer, Diocesan president, will be the guest speaker.

St. Matthias' Women's Guild

St. Matthias Women's Guild will meet in the Church Hall on Thursday, May 8, at 2.30 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

Victoria Purple Star

The regular meeting of the Victoria Purple Star, L.O.B.A. No. 10, will be held on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

St. John's L.G.

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church will meet on Monday, at 2.30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. Townley, 656 Simcoe Street.

Women's Conservatives

The monthly business meeting of the Women's Conservative Association will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the Old Post Street.

St. John's W.A.

The business meeting of St. John's W.A. will be held on May 6 at 2.30 p.m. Members are asked to note the change of date.

St. John's W.A.

The evening branch of St. John's W.A. will meet on Monday, May 5, at 8.15, in the guild room.

Pro Patria W.A.

The regular meeting of the Pro Patria W.A. will be held in the V.W.I. Rooms on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Photo by Staff Photographer.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Collie MacNeill, 1st Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, Camp Debert, N.S., and His Charming Bride, Formerly Miss Sonia Hanson, Photographed on Their Drive Away From St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, After Their Marriage Yesterday Morning

Wedding Is Celebrated At Oak Bay

At a quiet wedding solemnized by Ven. Archdeacon Heeney in St. Mary's Church at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the principals were Miss Sonia Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kitchen, 1052 Fenderson Street, and Lieutenant Charles Edward Collie MacNeill, 1st Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, eldest son of the late Major C. W. C. MacNeill and Mrs. MacNeill, 2270 Cadboro Bay Road. Baskets of lilac and narcissi and other spring flowers made an attractive background for the ceremony. The charming bride was given away by her father, and wore a tailored suit of beige silk and a wide hat, a dusty pink Cashmere sweater a wide-brimmed brown felt hat and beige and brown accessories. Gardenias and lily of the valley composed her corsage bouquet. Miss Romaine Collegan was bridesmaid, in a dressmaker suit in the new waterfall blue shade, worn with a white blouse, a navy blue straw hat and corresponding accessories, and a corsage bouquet of pink roses. Mr. William Menzies was best man, and Mr. R. McInnes and Mr. A. Stimpson were ushers.

After a small reception at the home of the bride's parents, Lieut. and Mrs. MacNeill left for Vancouver, the bride donning a brown ensemble with a tea rose collar over her wedding outfit. After a short honeymoon, they will return to Victoria to make their home for the immediate future.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Farewell Parties

Miss Eileen Ellis, Temple, Beach Drive, was hostess at a delightful farewell tea given in honor of Miss Kay Grogan, who is leaving on Monday for Halifax, where her marriage to Lieut.-Com. David Angus, R.C.N.(R), will take place. The reception rooms were prettily decorated with Coral red roses and a variety of white blooms. Mrs. Charles Griffin, aunt of the bride-to-be, presided at tea time. The table covered with a Chantecleer cloth, was centred with a gorgeous arrangement of Spring flowers in pale and deep pink, crimson, mauve and blue in a large oval pewter dish. Four silvered tapers in silver holders completed the effective motif. The guests were Mrs. Richard Angus, Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, the Misses Angus, Mrs. R. Moffat, Mrs. O. Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Mearns, Mrs. H. O. Mearns, Mrs. Alan Mayhew and Misses Mary Lou Bryant, Peggy Hodgson, Betty Hughes, K. Unsworth, Ruth Pearman and Betty Sheppard. In the evening Mrs. Temple also entertained for Miss Grogan, three present being her family and close friends of the family, Mr. L. A. Grogan, Mr. Jack Grogan, Dr. P. M. Bryant, Mrs. Frances Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Macfarlane, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Broadfoot, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Elliott, Miss M. Gildea, Mr. C. Lonsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Gwin, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Fleen, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Fowler, Miss N. Meagher, Mr. Leslie Mayhew and Mr. Bruce MacGregor.

Gave Tea and Shower

Mrs. H. V. Bassett, 201 Government Street, honored her sister, Miss Drusella O'Neill, a bride-to-be of the month, when she was hostess yesterday afternoon at a tea and miscellaneous shower. Mrs. M. E. O'Neill and Mrs. C. B. O'Neill, mother and aunt of the guest of honor, presided at the prettily appointed tea table, for which pink columbines and white narcissi, lighted by pink tapers formed an attractive centrepiece. During the afternoon Miss Grogan was given a beautiful bouquet of sweet peas and lilies of the valley and received many pretty gifts in an umbrella decorated in pink and white. The invited guests were Mesdames M. E. O'Neill, Jack Cantner, H. Mewitt, O. Laird, Frank Hill, Keith Dodd, Leonard Acres, Ronald Gordon, J. McRoberts, C. B. O'Neill, Donald McKenzie, O. Caird, Gordan (Vancouver) and Misses Kay Burnes (Vancouver), Eileen O'Neill, Peggy Carney, Evelyn Morrison, Vi Truman, Audrey Bland and Kathleen Nesbitt.

Christening Ceremony

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Colonel Marsh was christened last Sunday afternoon in the baptistry of Christ Church Cathedral, with Rev. J. R. Fife officiating. The child received the names Lynne Penny and her godparents were Miss Lois Spencer, Mrs. J. Pyfrom, Mr. Earl Marsh and Mr. J. Jewett. After the service Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowden, the baby's maternal grandparents, entertained members of the immediate families at tea at their home, 1014 Southgate Street. The christening cake held the place of honour on the tea table, which was prettily arranged with a bowl of pink tulips and lighted by pink candles in matching holders.

Entertain at Supper Dance

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stanley entertained last night at the supper dance at the Empress Hotel, in honor of their daughter Peggy, whose marriage to Mr. William Hayward will take place on June 7. In family party were Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hayward, Miss Marie Thomas, Mr. Tom Wilson, Miss Irene Brockington, Mr. Wilfred Fraser, Miss Peggy Stanley and Mr. William Hayward.

Oct Old Charming Inn

Among the visitors recently registered at the Old Charming Inn are Madame A. B. Sancio-Carouge, Nice, France, Misses Dorothy and Florence Knowlton, Portland, Ore., Miss Charlotte B. Evans, Piedmont, Cal., Mr. A. C. Lovekin, Lake Beach, B.C.; and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kuhns, Portland, Ore. Mrs. B. C. Gray, who is a regular visitor at the Old Charming Inn, left last night to spend a fortnight with her sister, Mrs. Chapman, M.B.E., Vernon, B.C.

Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. R. Peers entertained at dinner at the Oakbay Beach Hotel on Friday evening in honor of Mr. E. Crockett, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, and Mrs. Crockett, who are at the Empress Hotel. Covers were laid for twelve in the private dining-room arranged with flame-colored snapdragon, yellow tulips and blue iris.

Complimented Bride-to-Be

Mrs. H. O. Mearns and her sister, Miss Peggy Hodgson, were hostesses on Friday at a luncheon party given at the Oakbay Beach Hotel in compliment to Miss Kay Grogan, who is being married this month. Covers were also laid for Mrs. O. Campbell, Mrs. A. Pitkethly, Mrs. Alan Mayhew, Mrs. R. Moffat, Mrs. W. C. Mearns and Misses K. Unsworth and Ruth Pergman.

Wedding Gifts

Among the gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hulford prior to their wedding last evening was a tri-tile lamp from the fellow-employees of the bridegroom at Lewis's, and a green satin eiderdown from Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sewell, by whom the bride formerly was Miss Phyllis Muriel Holding, had been employed.

Visiting Friends Here

Miss Emma Cowan, who has been spending time in Victoria visiting friends, will return to her home, Onward Ranch, in the Cariboo, tomorrow. Whitewater was Miss Cowan spent several days at Okanagan Lake as the guest of Miss Gildea.

Coming Home

Miss Helen Woodcroft, who has been attending the University of British Columbia, is returning to her home in Windsor Road tomorrow. Mr. Derek Woodcroft, who has also been at the University, is with the Varsity Officers' Training Corps in Nanaimo.

Returns Home

Miss Marion Wingate, daughter of Captain and Mrs. W. Wingate, arrived home from Winnipeg yesterday after spending the past year at the University of Manitoba, where she has been studying home economics.

Move to House

Mr. and Mrs. E. Heybrook, who have been staying at the Oakbay Beach Hotel since their arrival from Manilla, have taken up residence at 1791 Mile Point. One of this area, Pilot Officer E. P. Heybrook, is stationed at Patricia Bay.

From Seattle

A party of Seattle visitors who have arrived at the Oakbay Beach Hotel include Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Winterble, and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Williams.

Leave for Toronto

After spending the past few weeks at the Oakbay Beach Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Walrice Waller have left for their home in Toronto, and en route will spend some time in Edmonton.

Expected Home

Maybe and Mrs. R. O. Monitoth, Oak Bay Avenue, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Bothwell in Vancouver, are expected home this evening.

Winnipeg Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Morrison, Winnipeg, who have been staying at the Oakbay Beach Hotel, have moved to Mr. and Mrs. Remmer's house, "Robinwood," Uplands.

At James Bay Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mercer have arrived from Calgary to spend two months at the James Bay Hotel.

From Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cushing are here from Montreal to spend a few weeks at the Oakbay Beach Hotel.

The greater the truth the more important that it should be expressed in good form and not be marred by poor English.

Married at Cathedral

CORPORAL Donald George Esselmont, 2nd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, and his bride, the former Miss Harriett Evelyn Doull, Vernon, B.C., photographed leaving Christ Church Cathedral, where they were married yesterday at 1.45 p.m. In the background may be seen Miss Peggy Doull, sister of the bride, and Mr. William Esselmont, Stewart, B.C., the attendants.

(Photo by Brett Photographer)

Miss Doull Is Married at Cathedral

In the presence of a large congregation of old friends, Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia, solemnized the wedding of Harriett Evelyn Amy, third daughter of the late Rt. Rev. A. J. Doull, Bishop of Kootenay, and Mrs. Doull, Vernon, B.C., and Corporal Donald George Esselmont, 2nd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, youngest son of the late Mr. James Esselmont, and Mrs. Esselmont, Vancouver, which took place in Christ Church Cathedral at 13.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

During the ceremony the bride and groom stood between baskets of double white stocks and snapdragon, the same blooms being arranged on the altar. The organist was in attendance and as the register was being signed, the hymn, "Love Divine, All Love Excelling," was sung.

Mr. David J. Angus, an old family friend, gave the bride in marriage and she looked very smart in a beige crepe dress, with matching accessories and a brown hat, and carried a small bouquet of lily of the valley and sweetheart roses. Miss Peggy Doull was her sister's bridesmaid, wearing a pastel blue dress, with a wide-brimmed Leghorn hat and a bouquet of lily of the valley, and Mr. William Esselmont supported his brother. Immediately after the wedding, Corporal and Mrs. Esselmont left for a brief honeymoon in Vancouver, and on return will make their home in Victoria for the present. In addition to Mrs. Doull and Mrs. Esselmont, the bridegroom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Esselmont, Burnaby, B.C., were present at the ceremony.

School Gives Entertainment

The gymnasium of Norfolk House School was the scene on Friday afternoon, of the annual entertainment presented by the pupils of the school. The annual choir opened the programme with a group of three songs which was followed by two plays by the juniors, "Margery's Garden" and "King John and the Abbot." A lighter touch was provided by two mimes, "The Embarrassing Episode of Little Miss Muffet" and "How I Do My Housework."

Two completely different types of dancing were seen in the groups put on by the intermediate and seniors. The bright and colorful costumes and vigorous movements of the folk dancers contrasted sharply with the soft pastel shades of the draperies and the slower, more graceful movements of the Greek dancers "Scenes From Cranford," by the senior girls ended the programme with a picture of the uneventful life led by elderly ladies in an English country town a hundred years ago. The parts were well portrayed, the quiet voices and restrained movements of the young actresses subtly suggesting the atmosphere of the past. The quaint and picturesque costumes added greatly to the general effect, some of them having actually been worn by the great grandmothers of the girls taking part.

After the National Anthem had been sung, tea was served in the schoolhouse, a silver collection, which amounted to over $30, being taken in aid of the Red Cross.

PUPILS' RECITAL

An enjoyable evening was spent on Friday when the pianoforte pupils of Mary I. Edwards, L.R.S.M., gave a recital at St. Saviour's Hall, Victoria West, with Rev. A. B. Lord as chairman. Those taking part were Nora Coleman, Clark Dunn, Rea Hanbury, Russell Wiggs, Ronald Edwards, Margaret Donaldson, Patsy Irvine, Melvin McGregor, Kathleen Hurley, Lee Irvine Threlfall, Lipsey Reima, Hurnain Dickie, Lipsey, Flora Dunlop, Isobel Kearney, Corinne Moore, Mary Stevenson, Sandy Thomson, Dickie Moore, Moragh MacKenzie, Jean Oscar, Ann Coles, Greta Moon, Aileen Davidson, Dolores Mauro, Joyce Foster, Peggy MacKenzie, Doris Takala and Irene Reid. On behalf of the pupils, a beautiful bouquet of flowers was presented to Mrs. Edwards by Russell Wiggs.

Pupils of Willows Assist Red Cross

As result of a bazaar held recently by the pupils of the Willows School in aid of the Oak Bay Unit of the Red Cross, the sum of $140 was realized. Each grade took charge of some special stall or entertainment. Candy, novelties, flowers and home cooking were sold, and a shooting gallery and contests in charge of the boys added to the enjoyment of the 250 guests attending.

Engagement Is Announced

MISS MARY WELLS

MR. WALTER R. STIPE

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wells, 132 Alberta Street, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Mary Stewart, to Walter Reginald Stipe, R.C.A.F., only son of Mrs. E. L. Stipe, Victoria, and Dr. R. Stipe, Warroua, Saskatchewan. The wedding will take place quietly at the end of May.

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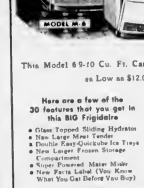

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SUMMER SCHEDULES—Effective May 21

Lv. VICTORIA DAILY	Ar. NANAIMO	Lv. NANAIMO DAILY	Ar. VICTORIA
*8:30 A.M.	11.45 A.M.	8:00 A.M.	11:20 A.M.
*1:30 P.M.	4:40 P.M.	*1:45 P.M.	4:50 P.M.
*3:00 P.M.	6:10 P.M.	*6:30 P.M.	9:30 P.M.
*6:00 P.M.	9:00 P.M.	*8:45 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
SUNDAYS ONLY		SUNDAYS ONLY	
8:30 P.M.	11:40 P.M.	*4:15 P.M.	7:25 P.M.

* Connecting With Buses From Nanaimo to Port Alberni and Courtenay
Note: Earlier Departures From Victoria at 8:30 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.
* Connecting With Buses From Courtenay and Port Alberni

SCHEDULE CHANGES Effective May 28, on Following Routes: Victoria, Nanaimo, Port Alberni, Courtenay, Campbell River, Shawnigan Lake, Duncan, Cowichan Lake, Youbou, Sooke, Jordan River
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ARE GRATEFUL FOR PARCELS

English Mayors Send Thanks To Victoria Overseas League for Help

The Victoria Overseas League in recent weeks has received many letters of thanks and appreciation from mayors in England for parcels sent from this city to bombing victims overseas.

Letters were sent from Coventry, Bristol, Swansea, Liverpool and distributing centres in London and Hampshire.

Following are some of the letters received here:

The Mayor of Coventry writes: "On behalf of the citizens of Coventry and myself, I am writing to express to you our sincere thanks and deep appreciation of your kind letter of sympathy and the wonderful gifts of clothing which have arrived in perfect condition for distribution amongst the distressed people in this city.

"Many people have lost their homes and all their possessions through the vicious enemy air attacks on this city, and I can assure you that practical help such as yours is very deeply appreciated by all concerned. I am glad to say, however, that the spirits of the citizens are undaunted and we are keeping the flag flying high.

"Will you please convey the heartfelt thanks of the people of Coventry and myself to all who have given such valuable help towards the alleviation of the distress in this city."

The Mayor of Swansea says "I have received from the Overseas League in London a large crate of clothing you have been good enough to send for the relief of those who are rendered homeless as a result of the recent air raid attacks on this country.

"I am exceedingly grateful to you for this practical expression of your sympathy, and I can assure you that good use will be made of every article which I received. Although we have had a bad shaking in Swansea, the people have been truly magnificent and I feel very proud indeed to be the chief citizen of such a fine people.

"Again please accept our deep gratitude for your splendid gift."

R Belce of Bristol states, "May I as W.V.S. clothing organizer for bombed victims express to you our very warm thanks for all the splendid help you have sent us in the magnificent boxes of clothing quite, etc., we have received from you through your London depot. We are very grateful.

"You would be happy to see the pleasure your gifts give to so many people. They come in our office over and over again with everything lost, to find far-away friends have been thinking of them and providing for them. They go away with warm, comfortable and attractive clothing and a smile on their tired faces and often tears in their eyes. Over and over again we hear, 'How kind they are,' for we continually tell them, 'Well, you must thank our kind friends overseas for that.'

"We have had our share of bombing here as I write the airlins are making a terrific barrage, and I know that tomorrow I shall be getting out many of your nice things again.

"Our heartfelt thanks to all.

"P.S.—You would be proud of our people if you could see them. Never a complaint, several were in today having lost everything in last nights raid, and all so brave and courageous. How your gifts help us to carry on."

SCOUT NEWS

NORTH QUADRA WOLF CUBS.

The meeting of the North Quadra Cubs was held on Friday evening. Dens were collected. The meeting opened with grand howl and flag break followed by inspection in uniform, with twenty-nine Cubs in attendance. A game of taking cherries from the orchard was played. Cubs worked on badges. A new member was welcomed into the pack. Five-mins. King, A.D.C., for Scout training led the boys in a game. He also told them a jungle story. The meeting closed with grand howl and Cub prayer.

The monthly meeting of the North Quadra Parents' Group will be held tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the Scout Hall. Freeman King will be guest speaker. All parents and friends interested in the boys are asked to attend.

FIRST CATHEDRAL SCOUTS.

The meeting of the First Cathedral Scouts was opened by Bill Atkinson, of the Pheasant Patrol, with flag break. Inspection was held and D. Owens, D. Paterson, B. Atkinson and K. Pearse passed their Ambulance badge. The troop practiced lashing by making a bridge of staves. Three games were played. The meeting closed, and the Eagle patrol will be on duty next week. After the meeting a Court of Honor was held by the patrol leaders and seconds.

ST. MARY'S TROOP

The meeting of St. Mary's Troop on Friday evening was opened by Duty Patrol Leader Gordon Lough. Patrol Leaders John Jones and Gordon Lough reaffirmed their Scout promise on being promoted to troop leaders. Following inspection and collection of dues, a bowling-tying contest was held. A period of sign drill practice was also held. Instruction was given in various first and second-class tests. During the meeting a number of badges were presented. Michael King and Edward Rollin was given their second-class badges; several Scouts were given their first-aid ambulance badges; John Jones and Norman Perkin were awarded their healthman's badge, and Ted Claxton and Gordon Lough their cyclist badges. A five-year service star was presented to John Jones, two-year star to Lawrence Wilson, Scott Kerr, Geoffrey Gillage, Kenneth Travis and Herbert Baker, and one-year stars to John Redford and Robert Lees.

FIRST CATHEDRAL CUBS

Cub Master Gordon Fleming, who attended parents' meeting of the First Cathedral Cubs was held at the Cathedral Scout hall. The programme consisted of games, a story and first aid work presented to the parents could see the work the pack was doing.

During the evening Maurice Sutherland received his collector's badge and Allan Husband his first proficiency star.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Group committee at the conclusion of the meeting.

OAK BAY UNITED SCOUTS

The meeting on Friday evening was opened by Duty Second of the Antelope Patrol Patrol Leader R. Murphy was awarded his "A" cord. Pathfinder and Ambulance badges Patrol Leader J. Kinghorn was awarded his "B" cord and King's Scout badges. N. Hartley was awarded his Ambulance badge. The patrols went to their respective patrol corners for instruction. After patrol corners a game was played.

SAYS SCIENTISTS TO SAVE WORLD

Prof. S. G. Petitt Addresses Kinsmen on German Philosophy And Attitude of Mind

"Overlooked after the last war, with the resultant second World Conflict, is it to be found the wisdom will not be overlooked this time? It is only he, I am convinced, who can ensure perpetual World peace," said Professor S. G. Petitt, professor of history and philosophy at Victoria College in speaking in Spencer's dining-room to the members of the Kinsmen Club Thursday night on the German philosophy as a factor in the present war.

The speaker maintained that although the Allies won the last war they lost the last peace, and Interest peace must be done at all timated that the winning of the costs. In dealing with the manner in which the certain post-war chaos was to be solved, he claimed that although the political and economic aspects of the situation would be of vital importance, of greater importance would be the determined attitude of mind of the German people.

Illustrating his points with reference to different German psychological writers, Professor Petitt claimed that the German attitude of mind is anti-social and uncooperative, and that the people are willful of their morals, have a theory of race, observe the might of the state, and are ignorant of individual rights.

All this" he intimated, might be changed by environment, as the better environment of the British people gave the greatest contribution to the world, in the form of government".

Professor Petitt, in mentioning Hitler's "Mein Kampf", said that the contents of the book offered nothing new, in that the politics illustrated there had always been a part of German belief.

RETURNING TO MEXICO

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 3 (P.)—Ending five years of exile from his homeland, General Plutarco Elias Calles, sixty-three, former "Iron Man" Presidents of Mexico, left by train yesterday for Mexico City to reside as a "retired citizen."

GET GOING

The vocalist at a radio concert seemed to have an endless repertoire. The fact that his voice was obviously beginning to grate on the audience did not deter him in the least.

At last one exasperated listener shouted: "Hi, d'you know 'The Long, Long Trail?'"

"Why, yes" replied the vocalist, proudly. "Shall I sing it?"

"No," quickly came the reply; "hit it!"

OFFICERS NAMED AS INSTRUCTORS

Seven Selected to Give Courses at Royal Military College At Kingston

OTTAWA, May 3 (CP).—The National Defence Department announced last night names of seven officers, including several recently from Britain, who will act as instructors for the junior staff course and the senior officers' course to be held at Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont.

Chief instructor for the junior staff course will be Lt.-Col. J. R. A. Lister, C.B.O. 1, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps. The other instructors are Maj. O. N. C. Smith, C.B.O. 2, Royal Artillery, artillery instructor; Lt.-Col. C. Sanford, C.B.O. 2, Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, signals instructor; Capt. G. P. Henderson, C.B.O. 2, Royal Highlanders of Canada, infantry instructor, and Capt. W. P. Gilbride, C.B.O. 3, R.C.A.C., army service corps instructor.

Members of the directing staff of the senior officers course will be Lt.-Col. L. T. Lawlor, C.B.O. 1, Prince Edward Island Light Horse, chief instructor, and Capt. G. E. N. Gostling, C.B.O. 3, Royal Regiment of Canada, infantry instructor.

Col. Sanford in 1916 graduated from the staff College, Quetta, India. Since returning to Canada he has held appointments at Ottawa, Montreal and Victoria and at the outbreak of war was posted to the Canadian signal training centre at Kingston.

Capt. Gostling of Winnipeg and Toronto, has been adjutant of an Ontario regiment overseas. He recently passed the staff course in the United Kingdom.

TO BE "FOILED"—IT WAS FORMERLY TO BE TRAMPLED—PERHAPS TO DEATH

It is to be frustrated, outwitted thwarted

Rarely, if ever, is it to be trampled—say to death; but that is how it started.

For "foil" springs from the French foiler to tread under foot, and it was in this sense that it was first used in English as in the lines by Spenser:

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foulsty soile."

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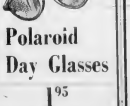

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Kitchen Waste Cans
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6-Quart Tea Kettles
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3-Fold Valet Dryers
Well-jointed enameled wood. Dryers approximately 36 feet of drying space. Sale Price, each 89c

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Soft-textured towels of extra absorbent quality. Size 22 x 40 inches. White backgrounds with pastel stripes or plaid designs. Stock up at this worthwhile saving.

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Quick drying cotton huck towels for everyday hard use. Family sizes. Size 18 x 36. Sale Price, each 28c

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Extra a limited quantity in hit-and-miss patterns. Size 27 x 54 inches. Sale Price, each 3.45

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PERSONAL ITEMS *and* SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

St. Margaret's Former Pupils Attend Reunion

Miss Priscilla Grant was elected president of St. Margaret's Old Girls Association at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon in the school dining-room, where the tables were attractively arranged by Mrs. A. K. Lees with vases of red and white tulips in keeping with the school colors. Mrs. Grant succeeds Mrs. William C. Merston in the role of president. Mrs. A. K. Lees was elected first vice-president, Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster and Mrs. David Todd Vancouver representative, second vice-president. Miss Olive Cornwall secretary-treasurer, while Miss Frances Price as assistant and the entertainment committee members Mrs. H. T. Gumbert, Mrs. Arthur Laundy, Miss Avis Butler, Miss Alison Craig and Miss Joan Parker.

MESSAGE FROM LONDON

Mrs. Merston welcomed the members who numbered over eighty and read a embracing of good wishes from Miss Barton, who is at present doing war work in London. The president also referred to the outstanding events in the past year and announced that Louise Prevost has again been awarded the Margaret Barton Scholarship and had three assistant awards. Miss Pauline Fraser the secretary-treasurer read her annual report. Miss Pauline Prevost headmistress spoke of the increase in number of pupils at the school and of the efforts which have been made to assist the Lord Mayor's Fund and the Red Cross. In addition fifty bombed-out kits have been prepared by the pupils of the school "houses."

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LUNCHEON GUESTS

Those present at luncheon were Mesdames A. K. Lees, F. H. W. Ellington, M. E. Cocksin, Arthur Laundy, K. Spurgin, F. G. Hart, H. Tweddell, Alistair Hermann, L. D. Jones, A. J. Ross, S. A. N. Watney, Duncan, G. C. Grant, Norman Vernon, McDonald, Thomas W. B. Leach, H. T. Gumbert, H. M. Morrison, M. Bell-Irving, Misses Frances Price, Elizabeth Holman (Portland), Mesdames Wilhelmina Mullocke (Vancouver), Helen Cornwall, Brenda Boggs, Phillis Grant, Pamela Alan, Louise Prevost, Virginia Prevost, Joanne Oliver Vangeyer, Joan Dewe, Phillis Cowan, Kathleen Sebastian, Naneen Stephens, Pat Craig, Betty Millais, Sylvia Williams, Vivienne King, Diana Francis, Laura Bayly, Barbara Macpherson, Jane Macdonald, Joan Fisher, Cynthia Yarrow, Mary Mc-Millin, Gladys Shields, Desmond Nunns, Kathryn Kamm (Portland), Joan Pindleton, Eva Price, Alison Maude, Louise Holmes, Annabelle Diamond, Peggy Frame, Nina Greig, Olive Heather, Violet McConaghy, Peggy Greenhill, Joan Thompson, Clemency Gerd, Monica Brockhurst, Ruth Jones, Jennifer Hobbs, Gladys Bailey, Edith Cornwall, Alison Craig, Phillis Gibson, Janet Pitchford, Mary Brackley and Evelyn Lettice.

Wedding Will Take Place Here in June

MR. WILLIAM H. HAYWARD — MISS PEGGY STANLEY

The engagement is announced of Marguerite (Peggy) Stanley only daughter of Mr and Mrs R. E. Stanley, 2080 Chancer Street, Oak Bay, and Mr. William Hayward, youngest son of Mr and Mrs. Thomas Hayward, 2140 Oak Bay Avenue, Oak Bay. The marriage will take place on Saturday, June 7, at 8 o'clock, at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

WEDDINGS

SIMS—SPEED

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiated at the wedding of Teolma Lillian elder daughter of Mr J. E. Speed 535 Toronto Street, and the late Mrs Speed and Mr Ralph Sims third son of Mr and Mrs B. Wilson Sims, 3226 Orillia Street which took place at 8 o'clock last evening in First United Church. The organist was in attendance, and as the register was being signed Mrs. Hugh Allison sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white georgette with short puff sleeves. And a veil reaching to the hem of her skirt, arranged cap-shape with clusters of orange blossom over each ear. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and carnations. Miss Florence Speed was bridesmaid, in a pretty frock of pink net, wearing a floral wreath in her hair and carrying a bouquet of blue iris and pink snapdragons. Mr Albert Slater was best man, and Messrs Victor Speed and Bert Simms brothers of the bride and groom were ushers. Baskets of lilac and narcissi had been arranged before the pulpit for the ceremony.

A small reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt Mr and Mrs H. J. Hodson 1211 Oxford Street during which the couple stood beneath a floral arch in a charming setting of Spring flowers. Mrs Hodson was dressed in blue over dusty sheer rose with a matching hat and Mrs Simms wore a navy blue net dress with an aqua rose hat, carnations and sweet peas composing their corsage bouquets. Silver baskets of pink and white carnations and tall tapers flanked the cake which emulated the super table. For a honeymoon in Victoria the bride left in a navy blue suit with rose accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and valley lilies.

Mr and Mrs Simms will make their home on Neil Street.

HULFORD—HOLDING

The marriage was quietly solemnized at 8 o'clock last evening in St. Salvador's Church between Phillis Muriel, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Holding 2808 Rock Bay Avenue and Mr Stanley Gordon Hulford, son of Mr and Mrs J. E. Hulford, 836 Pandora Avenue. Rev A. S. Lord conducted the ceremony in a setting of white lilac and blue iris, and during the signing of the register, Miss Enid Middleton sang "O Perfect Love" accompanied on the bridegroom's brother, Mr Edward Hulford, at the organ. Posies of mixed flowers marked the aisle pews.

An afternoon frock of rose dawn crepe with a small rose and blue straw hat, blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias was worn by the bride who was given away by her father. The bridesmaids were her sister, Miss Hazel Holding and Miss Agnes Stringer, who were dressed alike in Elizabeth blue crepe with light blue straw hats, and corsage bouquets of sweet peas and lily of the valley. Mr Tod Mackay was best man and Mr Victor Holding usher.

A small reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where a profusion of flowers had been arranged, the young couple standing beneath an arch of white lilac and a large bell to greet their friends. Mrs. Holding was gowned in cornflower blue with a straw sailor hat and Mrs. Hulford in lavender with a burnt sugar hat, and both wore corsage sprays of carnations. A three-tier cake, decorated by Mrs. H. Sims, an old family friend, centred the supper table, flanked by lighted candles in matching candelabra. For a honeymoon on the Island the bride donned a beige ensemble over her wedding outfit as she drove away.

Mr and Mrs Hulford will make their home at 2211A McBride Street.

MILNE—PEETZ

The marriage was quietly solemnized yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's Church between Cecil George, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs R. C. Peetz, Gladstone Avenue and Mr John David Milne, only son of the late Mr Alexander Milne, and Mrs Milne, Blanshard Avenue. Ven. Archdeacon Greene officiating in a charming floral setting.

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Girl Guide Notes

GUIDERS' MEETING

An important meeting of the Guiders of the district will be held at 1326 Harrison Street on Wednesday, at 8 p.m. to consider future plans. All Guiders are requested to attend.

CANCER TREATMENT

LONDON (AP) — The cancer cure be treated by injecting serum taken from a person suffering from serious, uncontrolled cancer of connective tissue cells is advanced by Dr. D. P. Yule in Medical World.

Bethrothals Are Announced

Photo by Mayne — MISS BETTY CARTER

Photo by Hal Walter — MR. E. BROWN

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Photo by Stones — MISS F. M. ATCHISON

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Mr and Mrs. George Edwards 1231 Pandora Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter Beatrice (Bea) to Mr Richard Vigar nephew of Mr and Mrs. A. Murray, 2231 Blanshard Street the wedding to take place at the family residence on June 7 and also the engagement of their youngest daughter, Louise to Mr Kenneth Walker, eldest son of Mr and Mrs J. P. Walker "Avondale," Gordon Head. The wedding will take place quietly on June 6.

PARRY—BEACH

The engagement is announced of Marcia, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. H. Beach 468 Kingsley Street to Mr Thomas Lawrence Parry, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. C. C. Parry 1450 Young Street. The wedding will take place in the first week in June.

CO. SMITH

Private Smith was brought before his commanding officer and charged with being disorderly in the canteen the previous night.

"Now Smith" said the C.O. "this is the tenth time you have appeared before me on this charge. What have you to say?"

"Well, sir" said Smith "I hope our acquaintance will ripen into friendship."

Couple Married at St. Paul's Church

Photo by Robert Port.

STAFF SERGT. WM. H. BOBBIS

Where marriage took place recently at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church. Inset: Mrs. Bobbis, the bride.

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Large Gain Shown In Greater Victoria Construction Totals

Permits for First Four Months of Year Reach $1,671,076 Compared With $1,263,611 During Corresponding Period in 1940

GREATER Victoria building inspectors issued 789 permits for new construction and alterations valued at $1,671,076 during the first four months of the year, compared with 560 permits for $1,263,641 in the period of January to April in 1940.

April permits totaled 273 for $347,872, compared with 183 for $404,301 during the corresponding month last year.

The city issued ninety-two permits for $203,376 in April, compared with eighty-nine for $393,565 during the corresponding month in 1940. This month twenty-eight new homes, eleven duplex dwellings, one apartment building and extensive alterations to the Royal Jubilee Hospital and Atlas Theatre were commenced.

From January to the end of April, twenty granted 349 permits for work valued at $651,365, compared with 242 permits for $712,780 during the corresponding four months in 1940.

GAIN DURING WEEK

For the past week the city issued nineteen permits for new construction and alterations valued at $47,950, compared with nineteen permits for $26,120 during the week ending April 28.

Next week the De Cosmos Block on Government Street will be torn down by Parfitt Brothers, Ltd., to make way for a modern $35,000 building for McLennan, McFeely & Prior, Ltd. The block was named after Amor de Cosmos who founded The Daily Colonist in 1858 and was sold to the hardware company last year by Charles R. Bishop, who acquired it from the city. C. Elwood Watkins has drawn plans for the new building.

MANY NEW HOMES

City permits of the week included: M. Rosenthal, four-room home at 2844 Blackwood Street, $2,000; A. Bargetti, five-room house at 1307 Carnsew Street, $3,000; V. L. Leigh, five-room dwelling at 40 Linden Avenue, $3,000; Union Oil Company of Canada, Ltd., alterations to a service station at 850 Hillside Avenue, $800; F. Simpson, four-room house at 2540 Forbes Street, $2,800; alterations to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, $37,000; J. W. Slater, five-room home at 1250 Rockland Avenue, $3,200; E. Fox, four-room dwelling at 2747 Prior Street, $2,500; Homewood Construction Co., Ltd., conversion of 1160 Richardson Street into a five-suite apartment building, $3,500; A. Robinson, four-room house at 2640 Belmont Avenue, $2,300; five-room house at 2875 Delaire Street, $2,150, and a $4,000 permit to J. C. Jaberwocky to convert the former Hibben-Bone Building into premises to be known as the Churchill Hotel Block.

OAK BAY PERMITS

During the month of April there were thirty-three permits issued in Oak Bay with a value of $111,964, compared with twenty-six permits in the corresponding month of 1940 with a value of $61,100. For the four months of the present year the permits issued were 108 with a valuation of $312,275, compared with seventy-eight permits in the corresponding four months of 1940 with a valuation of $200,500.

For April, 1940, there were fourteen house permits with a total value of $65,750. For the corresponding month of 1941, there were twenty-two houses with a value of $82,000. For the four months of 1941, there were seventy-four house permits valued at $275,330, or an average of $3,720 each. The same period in 1940 there were forty-nine house permits with a value of $187,200, or an average of $3,818 each. Not included in the houses for April, 1941, was an apartment of forty-seven rooms valued at $28,000.

SAANICH BUILDINGS

In Saanich during the past month there were ninety-nine permits issued with a value of $164,874. Of these seventy-four were for dwellings valued at $134,178. During the corresponding month of last year sixty-four permits were issued, valued at $68,931, and of these forty were for houses valued at $54,605.

For the first four months of this year there were 317 permits issued with a value of $471,184. Of these 215 were for homes valued at $446,400. For the corresponding quarter of last year there were 216 permits valued at $290,996 and of these 124 were for homes with a value of $242,516.

In Esquimalt there were eight permits in April valued at $21,500. In the corresponding month last year there were four permits with a value of $11,300. For the four months there were twenty-four permits issued, which was the same number as last year. The values were $66,582 this year, and $59,250 in 1940.

In the suburban districts within Greater Victoria Saanich showed during the past week permits with a value of $47,900, representing twelve new homes. Oak Bay issued permits for two new homes with a value of $6,500. In Esquimalt there were no permits issued for the week.

Saanich homes include a four-roomed house costing $1,800 to be erected by H. J. Wilson on Admiralty Road, on Christmas Avenue a three-roomed home costing $1,400, on Murray Drive a five-roomed home costing $3,200, on Murray Drive a four-roomed home costing $1,800, on Murray Drive a four-roomed home costing $1,600, on Marquerite Drive a five-roomed home costing $2,000, C. C. Camp on Tyndall Avenue, a five-roomed house costing $4,100, R. A. Starkey will build on Cadillac Avenue a five-roomed home costing $2,000, on Cress Avenue a five-roomed home costing $2,000 for L. E. Hill, for J. W. Slater on Quadra Street a five-roomed home costing $2,800, on Cadillac Avenue a four-roomed home costing $1,800, for R. Outman on Old East Saanich Road a six-roomed home with a value of $14,000.

In Oak Bay the permits issued included one to V. L. Leigh for a five-roomed home at 2712 Burdick Avenue with a value of $3,000, and one to W. Claskill for a five-roomed home costing $3,000 at 2946 Lincoln Road.

NEED FOR CHANGE IN SET-UP IS FORESEEN

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As I see the situation, the main problem demanding solution is that of organization. On all sides one hears of Government orders being issued for the recruiting of hands to man some new factory. When the men and women have been collected and set to that particular factory, it is discovered that either the factory is not completed or vital material to be handled in the factory has not been delivered with the result that the factory can use only for that time have been replaced in whatever work they previously had been doing, thus qualifying their idleness with a certain feeling of grievance as well.

What we require in England at this moment is a grand master of timing and sooner or later some official will be given almost dictatorial powers with that end in view.

The English workman is very much attached to the idea of a permanent job. Security means a lot to the English working man. It is therefore not surprising that there has been a good deal of searching of heart in this country in connection with the great drive to induce skilled men to go back to the shipbuilding yards.

QUESTION SECURITY

As all the world knows, there has been a great slump in British shipbuilding in the last ten or fifteen years and many of the artisans from the yards on the Clyde, the Tyne and the Mersey drifted into other jobs some of them after considerable periods of unemployment. They are now asked to go back to their shipbuilding jobs, but they question their chances of security. There are many who are indifferent timing to run the risk of being out of work and although wages paid in the shipbuilding industry today are very high, they refuse to take the risk of giving up their was well-paid but irregular occupations.

A certain effort can be detected behind the scenes to make this question of labor timing political. Behind the party cries front controversy goes on as to the respective merits or rather demerits of employer and employed. Official labor and official capital do not quarrel. The truce is honorably observed, but it takes no very great sense of realism to see that each side is convinced the other is not pulling its weight as it should.

HEALTHY SYMPTOMS

This observer thinks such a frame of mind is all to the good. So long as labor criticizes capital and capital criticizes labor with the one object of a better output for war purposes, the country may be said to display healthy symptoms. In all the criticisms to which I have referred the underlying note has always been a desire to further the war effort. It should also be put to the credit side of this country that strikes have been so few as to be negligible. In fact, I cannot help giving it to those people that the standard of common sense ("God's own saving common sense" as Kipling describes it) they show today is strikingly high.

In this connection two plans for dealing with vital industries are worth considering. The first one is a scheme to reorganize the coal industry. Employers and miners leaders are meeting to discuss methods for increasing the coal output by 500,000 tons a week and for building a reserve of 20,000,000 tons for industrial and domestic use during next Fall and Winter.

The discussion has to take into consideration every kind of industrial difficulty which is bound to arise in a country as small as England, especially when it is engaged in total warfare. The principal difficulty is transportation.

LOAD ON RAILWAYS

It is almost impossible for anyone accustomed to the vast expanses of North America to realize how congested rail and road traffic can become when it has to carry the loads placed on British roads and rails both day and night. The coal difficulty of the last few months has been due solely to transport conditions. It will be the business of these men of good sense to settle priorities which will take into consideration human traffic, war material traffic and coal, without which the wheels of the nation would stop turning.

Then there is the regrouping of firms in industry so as to make for most of available man power and reduce overhead expenses. This must be done without reducing permanently the number of small firms or of forcing such firms into the arms of combines. I know of one case where three firms, with four factories and a total turnover of £220,000, concentrated production in one factory and thereby saved nearly £30,000 overhead expenses and over 40,000 square feet of factory space, which was released for other purposes.

The Government's policy is to see that these small men are not extinguished, but given an opportunity and financial help to reopen their businesses after the war. Every help will be granted to keep trade marks alive.

A Recent Bridal Couple

—Photo by Campbell Studio

Sergeant and Mrs. Cecil Blatchford, who were married recently in Victoria. Mrs. Blatchford was formally Miss Pearl Margaret Cawsey, Victoria, and Sergeant Blatchford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blatchford, Yukon Territory.

—Photo by Bradley Studios

MR. HERBERT WELDON BUTT

Miss Olive Naylor and Mr. Herbert Weldon Butt, Seattle, whose marriage will take place on May 10 at the Oaklands Gospel Hall, Victoria. Miss Naylor is the daughter of Mrs. Sidney Price, 241 Beachwood Avenue, and Mr. Butt is the son of Dr. and Mrs. L. Butt, Seattle, and is a graduate of the University of Washington.

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MISS OLIVE NAYLOR

WIN PRIZE FOR GUIDE DANCING

Girls of Queen Margaret's School Lift Trophy at Nanaimo Festival

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KNEW THEM ALL

It was their third quarrel, and the young wife was by no means at a loss for words.

"Viper!" she hissed. "Scoundrel, blackguard, wretch, fool!"

Quite unperturbed, her husband continued reading the evening paper.

"Brute!" she cried. "You serpent. You snake in the grass!"

But still no sign. And then the uselessness of it came to her. Nothing she could say would shake that immovable calm. Her husband was a football referee.

ENEMY TAKEN BY SURPRISE

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western borders of Egypt and to beleaguered Tobruk.

AXIS LOSSES HEAVY

A British Command communique issued today said that British partisans beat off a day-long attack yesterday, holding its ground against a heavy tank assault and inflicting "heavy losses" on the enemy until just before nightfall, when the attack was abandoned.

The reinforcements on their way to Egypt and Libya were reported to be armed with United States-made weapons which have arrived in Egypt.

(Reports circulating in Vichy said that twenty-six United States merchant ships laden with war supplies had arrived at Suez. The reports were without confirmation, but it was suggested at Washington that the freighters might be those which cleared United States ports early in April with war supplies intended for Greece and Yugoslavia.)

and Duncan Company of Queen Margaret's School, under Miss Dorothy R. Geoghegan, won the J. F. Edge-Partington Trophy for Girl Guides at the final session of the fourteenth Upper-Island Musical Festival, folk dancing section.

The winning company was awarded 187 points, one point higher than partners from the Girls' Cowichan Company, under Miss Jay Willis, was third with 183 points.

The solo folk dancing, nine, ten and seven-year class, was won by Peggy Hellan, of Courtenay, while another Courtenay girl, Mary Dennis, won the fifteen years and over class.

Results of the afternoon session:

Class 113 (solo, nine, ten and seven years, Mexican or Spanish dance)—1, Peggy Hellan, Courtenay, 85; 2, Norma Handley, Courtenay, 82; 3 (tie), Hilda Orbig, Sandwick, B.C., and Yvonne Motion, Cumberland.

Class 115 (solo fifteen years and over)—1, Mary Dennis, Courtenay, 82; 2, Beatrice Beresford, Sandwick, 81.

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Class 114 (solo, twelve, thirteen and fourteen years, Swedish and Russian dances)—1, Shirley Thulin, Campbell River, 83; 2 (tie), Dorothy Tapella, Cumberland and Dora Tapella, Cumberland.

Class 120 (pas deux, under ten years)—1, Dorothy Johnston and Beverley Cook, Nanaimo, 83; 2—(tie), Roberta Aitken and Ronald Aitken, and Peggy Hellan and Norma Marples, Courtenay, 82.

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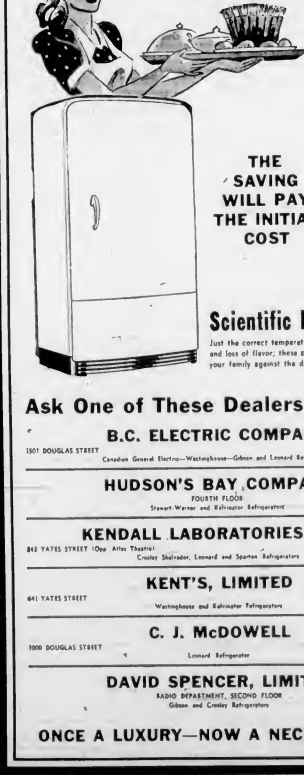

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Noted for its cultural associations for considerably more than half-a-century, especially in connection with local and instrumental music, Victoria has in past years heard some of the world's greatest artists in recital as well as previously supported travelers who toured its children the beauties of the classic musical way.

All this is apparent in the scrapbook of the late Selina F. Smith. Between the covers of a number of such books, Mrs. Smith kept a record of early Victoria musicians, together with newspaper clippings concerning them, before she went to Toronto, London and Leipzig to perfect herself as a teacher of pianoforte playing and the history and theory of music.

PROGRAMME OF RECITALS

To a student of Victoria's musical history, the books present considerable material which, more than likely, might be available elsewhere. Among others, there are programmes of recitals in the old Royal Theatre, Government Street, Philharmonic Hall, Port Street, Temperance Hall, Pandora Avenue, Institute Hall, View Street, and the Victoria Theatre, present site of Pantages, now Dominion and View Streets.

Also in the scrapbooks are cards for recitals in Toronto, London and Leipzig. Miss Smith's teacher in the Canadian city being Dr. Torrington, founder of Toronto Conservatory of Music and known across Canada as the Father of Canadian Music. In London her teachers were Professor F. Ilonsvorna and W. F. Pearsingh, and at Leipzig Conservatory, where she was the 1899 gold medallist, her instructors were Professor H. M. Field, A. S. Vogt and W. D. Forsyth.

When Miss Smith opened her studio in Victoria after returning from Europe and Eastern Canada, the occasion was widely announced. The Colonist was pleased to chronicle the return of Miss Selina F. Smith with distinguished honors, while testimonials, eulogizing her methods of imparting instruction were received from Lady Aberdeen, Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney, W. Columbia, Sir Henri P. Crease and many others.

KNOWN NATIONALLY

Many of Victoria's better-known musicians graduated from the studio of Miss Smith, while some won honors in greater centres of musical culture one of whom Alma Victoria Clarke, won considerable distinction as a pianist, nationally, while another, Rita Green, achieved fame on the New York stage. The scrapbooks also contain letters of appreciation from her pupils and their parents to Miss Smith, who was born in Ontario and reached Victoria with her mother in 1884, her father the late M. B. Smith, pioneer burial manufacturer in British Columbia having come to Victoria some years before.

Miss Smith's early education was obtained at St. Ann's Academy, where she early developed a natural musical talent, being given every encouragement and assistance while there by the teaching sisters of St. Ann. Miss Smith passed away at the family home on Dallas Road in July.

Has Sweet Peas in Bloom

J. T. COCKINGS

Photo by Bill Photographer

O.P.3498 Cook Street photographed above, stands proudly beside a portion of his garden and views the fine results of his planting of sweet pea seeds now in full growth and massed at the side of his house, bearing pink and white blooms. Mr. Cockings who obtained the seeds from England, planted them last October in his garden, where they at present stand over five feet in height. They were seen in which pots. Mr. Cockings proved himself to be a good agriculturist when he was able to dig from his garden, as early as April 20, new potatoes for his own consumption.

PLAN TO CHANGE ZONING MEASURE

City Council to Alter Classification Of Outer Wharf Property For Shipbuilding

A Zoning By-Law amendment to alter the classification of property at the Outer Wharf to permit shipbuilding, will be given a public hearing by the City Council morning at 3.30 o'clock Monday afternoon. The Victoria Machinery Depot Co. Ltd. intends to erect a plant there, and is prepared to negotiating with the lands committee for an additional 2.1 acres in the vicinity.

Meetings of the water board will be held at 10.30 o'clock, and the finance committee at 2.15 o'clock tomorrow. Both will report to the council. Tenders for the refreshment, boating and fishing tackle concession at Thetis Lake Park will be considered by the water board.

Attention of the council will be given to a petition from nineteen James Bay property owners objecting to alleged odors from the fish plant at Ogden Point.

An invitation from the Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., inviting the Mayor and council to attend the annual flag-day ceremony in Parliament Square at 10 o'clock on the morning of May 23, is on file.

A Zoning By-Law amendment to permit a Crystal Garden parking lot and Protective Order of Elks asking for permission to erect a banner across Douglas Street and another at Humboldt Street. Provincial and Dominion sanctions of the order will be held here from July 14 to 18.

LONDON (CP) — With amazing freedom in a plane factories and the munition works girls are taking to "smuff, nasty one dealer and tiring not to anesse."

MODEL OF SCOTTISH GIFT HOUSE SHOWN

The Scottish Gift Home which will go to the lucky winner of the mammoth competition now being launched by the Women's Auxiliary of The Canadian Scottish Regiment, is portrayed by an interesting model on display in the window of Ker & Stephenson's offices on Government Street. Beautifully built to scale, this model was constructed by Bob Clark.

The home, for competition, is being sold by all members of the organization with headquarters in the Clansman Drug Stores. They are also available from members of the auxiliary in Courtenay, Alberni, Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Chemainus and Duncan.

ZANESVILLE, Ohio (CP) — Dr. Thomas Jones, 60, stole seventeen of Dr. Robert Zeigers pigeons, may get a sentence, they're the homing variety.

What Today Means

TAURUS

If May 4 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 9 to 11 p.m. The easiest periods are from 1 to 3 p.m. from 5 to 9 p.m. and from 11 p.m. until midnight.

Despite personal inclinations, you ignore what long experience tells you is a moral obligation, you wish this to be a prosperity and happy Sunday. All from of selfish indulgence on this day, sooner or later have to be paid for in some roundabout way. Avoid overeating and lack of exercise on this date. For you, average pomposity, negative, in either is apt to be unfavorable. On this day a real endeavor should be made to keep your conversation amusing or centred on subjects that are likely to be diverting and free from life's problems. Do not expose your active imagination you enjoyed, or you may find yourself upset over something you cannot control or correct. Misfortune—especially in matters involving the possession of time will be a possibility that will get many people into hot water on this date. Married and engaged couples, and Cupid's victims must not be so self-centred that they will ignore the commonplace amenities that are due their relatives and friends.

If a woman and May 4 is your birthday, you have far more to gain by being refreshingly natural than not let your talents be dormant, for their development should greatly benefit you. You should be very enterprising, capable of leadership and you should have the ability to finish successfully anything you start out to do. Among the activities in which you may make a name and money for yourself may be included office work, painting, teaching, selling, lecturing, acting, singing or managing a business of your own. You should be fully capable of making the man you marry happy and devoted to you.

The child born on May 4 in his early teens, frequently gives evidence of being decidedly talented and versatile. A guiding hand starts this youngster on the right path he should travel. Children born on this date are usually very optimistic and courageous.

If a man and May 4 is your natal day, you should be able to hold your own with anyone. You are probably a go-getter.

You should possess all the qualifications needed to be a successful public accountant, business executive, salesman, inventor, author, politician, clergyman, dentist, chemist, agricultural manufacturer, or scientist.

MONDAY
MONDAY, MAY 5

If May 5 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8 to 10 a.m. from 1 to 3 p.m. from 7 to 9 p.m. and from 11 to 1 a.m. The easiest periods are from 7 to 8 a.m. from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 9 to 11 p.m.

Deep spots upon what has a measure of success may find themselves suddenly unsuspected, and with reckless interests they are likely to go after bauble with an enthusiasm that is apt to produce gratifying results.

Lack of good breeding will be responsible for most cases of rudeness on this date so anyone suspected to it can well afford to ignore it completely. The person of newly acquired culture is often very thin and only can be successfully covered through his reflection of good manners. Beneath, like cold water will dampen the average person's spirits and may arouse bitter resentment, so be wise and do not resort to it as a means of getting anything accomplished. This is evidently going to be a day of transitory moods, and it will take very little to turn good-humored people into decidedly disagreeable ones, so be very careful in this respect. Married and engaged couples, and those who are in a feverish state of love, should remember problems of love often become faint memories unless they are kept fresh through constant repetition, and this is a good day to reaffirm yours.

If a woman and May 5 is your birthday, you should have many friends but very few confidants. With you actions always will count more than words, particularly if they are the result of careful reflection. You like to do things in a big way, providing someone else will foot around with the petty details involved in your preparations. As a dietician trained nurse, modiste, interior decorator, artist, designer, demonstrator, lecturer, singer, teacher or business executive, you apparently have every chance to make money and a reputation for yourself. A generous conditioning need to surround your matrimonial life.

The child born on May 5 usually during its teens develops a love for dramatics and displays considerable histrionic ability. Frequently highly emotional, children born on this date must learn to give way to inclinations to be notoriously demonstrative or easily agitated. Only by being able to overcome these faults and to demonstrate self-control can youngsters born under Taurus smooth their path through life.

If a man and May 5 is your natal day, never give in to physical disabilities, for through perseverance and courage you are apt to find a way to overcome them. Nothing can handicap you if you develop self-trust, faith to sustain you during trying periods. As an inventor, manufacturer, chemist, educator, theologian, author, scientist, soldier, engineer, aviator, financier, sales representative or businessman, a highly successful and prosperous future may be secured by your individual efforts.

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SOLDIERS HEAR CONCERT PARTY

Wardrifle Trio, Dancers and Singers Entertain Troops With Varied Programme

Artists including the Wardrifle Trio, pupils of the Florence Crouch Dancing School, Miss Hinge Benson and Sidney Chenval, delighted soldiers at a YMCA hut near Victoria, Friday night. The Wardrifle Trio's rendition of Brahms Hungarian Dance No. 5 was especially appreciated.

Kathleen Gregson and Jim McCarew contributed an adagio dance. Valda Wise following with a solo tap, and Ray Evendon and Prunella Rodwell performing a novelty tap dance. Mrs. Sanderson provided musical accompaniment. Miss Benson and Mr. Chenvall, accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Warn, closed the programme. Members of the Wardrifle Trio are Mrs. Warn, pianist, and Misses Bebe and Nuzie Warn, violinist and cellist.

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Premier and John Hart Expected Back Towards Middle of Week

British Columbia's governmental mission to Ottawa where the Province agreed to transfer of income and repatriation tax, and a dollar impost upon gasoline was reported yesterday at the Legislature. Ministers are returning to the Coast. Official announcement of the result of the Dominion-Provincial negotiations awaited the arrival here of Premier Pattullo and Hon. John Hart.

Finance Minister Hart left Ottawa on Friday, and is expected back to Victoria on Tuesday. He was accompanied by J. V. Fraser, assistant deputy minister of finance.

Premier Pattullo arrived in Calgary, on the Canadian, that the world set out from Ottawa today, arriving back in the city. Thursday. He was in touch with Acting Premier George S. Pearson, briefly during the day.

The Premier is accompanied by Hon. Hector Dupuis, provincial secretary.

LONDON (CP)—German newspapers received here report advertisements asking for blinding paper from a bath to make leather substitutes.

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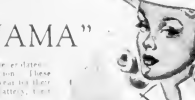

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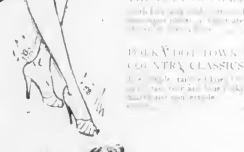

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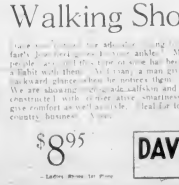

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WHIRLAWAY SCORES SMASHING WIN IN THE DERBY

Brooklyn Dodgers' Players Are Tops In Most Divisions

Lavagetto, Camilli, Casey and Hamlin Setting Pace In Various Sections of National Ball League —Cecil Travis Hitting .520 in the American Circuit

NEW YORK May 3 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers have captured the major share of individual batting and pitching honors in the National League even if their team has hasn't been able to hang onto first place.

Harry (Cookie) Lavagetto sparkling third sacker of the flatbush across had a batting average of .402 up till Saturday. He has made 29 hits, including seven doubles and scored 18 runs to lead all other players in the senior circuit in three departments.

Dolph Camilli, the conqueror Bisheman of the Dodgers, was out in front in slugging with seven home runs, 18 runs batted in and 13 scored, being second to Lavagetto in the latter.

In addition Hugh Casey, with four victories and no defeats, was the league's leading pitcher, and team-mate Luke (Hot Potato) Hamlin was tied for second with three triumphs and no losses. Whitey Wyatt and Kirby Higbe were scattered honors remained were scattered widely through the league.

The top hitters, arranged behind Lavagetto were Bill Jurges, New York, .383, Nick Etten, Philadelphia, .345, Enos Slaughter St. Louis .345, Lee Handley, Pittsburgh .344, Walker Cooper, St. Louis .341, Frank Crespi, St. Louis .339, Terry Moore, St. Louis .333, Pete Reiser, Brooklyn, .333, Eddie Joost, Cincinnati .327.

NEIL OTT SECOND

Mel Ott, veteran cloutter of the New York Giants was second in runs batted in with 16 and was tied for second in home runs with Frank Mancuso of the Reds and Bill Nicholson of the Chicago Cubs at five each.

Etten was second in total hits with 2 while runner-up honors in two-baggers was a three-way tie between Mickey Owen of Brooklyn and Jurges and Hank Danning of the Giants.

Gene Moore of the Boston Braves had four triples and Andy Vaughan of the Pittsburgh Pirates, long-time specialist at this thing added a bit had three.

The best base stealers as might be expected, were Lonnie Frey and Bill Werber of the Reds, the former with five and the latter with three. Up till today the Dodgers had not stolen a single base.

Leo Wurmer, aging right-hander of the St. Louis Cardinals, prevented Brooklyn from having a monopoly in the pitching branch by winning three and losing none in his one-sided match played on the former's ground.

Kennedy and Gillies were the top batsmen for the winners while Worrall was fourth in runs scored behind Robertson and Collett beating very well for University School.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CHICAGO May 3 (AP)—Cecil Travis and Arky Vaughan of American League pitchers are looking forward to the days when the Washington star is inducted into the army—but for entirely different reasons.

It will be a happy day for the pitchers when Travis swaps his glove for a gun because they haven't been able to get him out this Spring.

The twenty-seven-year-old shortstop is clouting the ball at a .520 clip through Friday's games giving him the batting leadership of the circuit by 103 points, pegged at .417 in the runner-up spot as Jeff Heath, Cleveland outfielder. Little bespectacled Dominic DiMaggio, Boston sophomore, rates third at .406 far ahead of his more celebrated brother Joe of the New York Yankees.

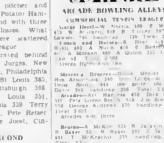
Frank Croucher, Detroit, is fourth with .400, followed by Hal Trosky, Cleveland, .387, Bill Dickey, New York .379, Ken Keltner, Cleveland .372, Benny McCoy, Philadelphia .364, Joe Cronin Boston, .354, Rick Ferrell, Washington .353 and Dick Siebert, Philadelphia, .333.

Joe DiMaggio, after a brilliant start has slowed down recently, but still is in the home run derby, being tied with Detroit's Rudy York for first with five each. Gerry Walker, Cleveland, has four triples with the doubles leadership split between Travis Dominic DiMaggio and Kelly, seven apiece.

Little Charley Keller of the Yanks leads with 13 runs batted in and Dominic DiMaggio shows the way in base thefts with four. Dominic is also the leader in hits with 39 while brother Joe has scored the most runs, 32.

The pace-setting moundsmen are Ernie Bonham, New York, and Mel Harder, Cleveland each with three wins and no losses. Cleveland's Bob Feller, also has 4-0 four games since dropping the season's opener, is tops in strikeouts with 28.

Boston has the best team hitting mark, .286 and Cleveland is the fielding leader. The Yanks, abetted by rookie Phil Rizzuto and Gerry Priddy, set the double play pace with 26.



Tops Field in Classic Kentucky Race

WHIRLAWAY, little chestnut horse raised by Warren Wright, which captured the greatest Kentucky Derby of them all yesterday at the historic Churchill Downs racing strip in eight breathless minutes. In doing so he remarked his owner a purse of $61,275, largest in the history of the event, and also broke the record for the Derby distance of a mile and one-quarter by fifteen the finishing time in 2 01 2-5 two-fifths of a second faster than Gallant Fox. Twenty Grand to capture the honors back in 1931. Close to 100,000 spectators crowded the spacious track to watch the thrilling spectacle, despite the fact they was heavily favored in this picture.

Wise took third-place money. Potter Cup one of the favorites was fourth, and Dur Beeo, top choice most of the time ended up in eighth berth in a field of eleven. Jockey Arcaro who rode Whirlaway yesterday, is seen riding the horse in this picture.

The race Jimmy then delivered the fine ride and the contest was decided upon.

Although the green horse appeared in as good shape as had been hoped they were nevertheless a credit to those responsible for his training when there is taken into consideration the brand of weather experienced in this district during the past couple of weeks.

During the afternoon lunch was served by the women members.

As a result of the contest the odds capitalized by the vice-president secured a commanding lead early in the contest winding up with a majority of twenty-four.

Following are the winners in detail:

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M. Marshall	Mrs. Ashley
Mrs. Ashley	Mrs. Beckwith
M. Leggatt	A. Hulme
Mrs. Ashley	Mrs. Ashley
Mrs. Ashley	Mrs. Ashley
J. M. Carroll	J. Bagnall
Mrs. Ashley	Mrs. Ashley
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CLEVELAND WINS 8TH STREAK TO NINE STRAIGHT

Indians Register Over Boston Club To Continue Pace

Scores 4-2 Triumph With Al Milnar Chalking Up Third Decision in Four Starts—Yanks Win in Thirteenth Frame on Homers—Rookie Gornicki Twirls One-Hitter

By The Canadian Press

The amazing Cleveland Indians ran their winning streak to nine games yesterday by the simple expedient of jumping on Mike Hegan for four runs in the first inning. The resultant 4-2 triumph over the Boston Red Sox was Bob-Feller Al Milnar's third in four decisions.

Mr. Hegan, as versatile that he's frequently called a four-man team, and six eighs of his mates couldn't prevent the quartette of extra-base blows which gave the league leaders the two-game drink.

Roy Weatherly opened the Indians first with a double and scored on Ken Keltner's triple. Lou Boudreau walked and Keltner followed on Hal Trosky's hit. With one count three and two Jeff Heath tossed his fourth home run of the season over the exit gate in League Park's right-centre field. Hay Mack's triple later in the inning was wasted.

The New York Yankees had to hit his extra-inning home runs to down the White Sox 6-5. Buddy Rosar's four-bagger to lead off the 13th-twelfth finally willing the issue.

The Yanks had looked like winners three innings before, when Rolfe and DiMaggio got on base and Phil Gordon promptly brought them in with his fifth circuit blow of the season. But in their half the Sox got three home runs of their own, Johnny Murphy on Rosenthal's double, a single by Trevo, a walk and Henrich's three-base muff of Knickerbocker's fly.

TIGERS TRIUMPH

The Detroit Tigers star rescue man, big Al Benton, did his job again to withstand a victory over the Philadelphia Athletics 4 to 3 and give the home club a sweep of the two-game series.

It was a battle of home runs as the St. Louis Browns broke their latest losing streak with a 9-7 victory over the Washington Senators.

A single in the ninth inning rubbed Rookie Henry Gornicki's chances of pitching the major league's second no-hit game in the half right-hander burned the St. Louis Cardinals on a 3-0 one hitter over the Phillies.

It was the eighth consecutive triumph for the National League leaders and the second sparkling mound performance turned in by Cardinal rookies in the two-game series. Yesterday Howard Krist set the Phils down 4 to 2 on five hits.

A double by Pete Reiser and Dixie Walker's shade to left in the eighth inning gave the Dodgers their winning margin in a 4-3 victory over the Chicago Cubs.

Kirby Higbe was credited with the triumph which he helped himself with a two-run single in the fifth.

The Pittsburgh Pirates, clinched out of the cellar again handing the Giants a 3 to 2 defeat that ran the New Yorkers' streak to six losses and a tie in their last seven starts. The Boston Braves unstrung a three-run seventh inning rally to give Jim Tobin his first victory of the season, 3-2 in a tight pitching duel with Paul Derringer of the Cincinnati Reds.

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Philadelphia 000 000 000—0	3	1	

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	R	H	E
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Brooklyn 000 020 00x—4	9	1	

Batteries—Root and McCullough; Higbe Wicker and Owen.

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Boston 000 000 30x—3	4	0	

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Cleveland	14	4	.778
New York	12	7	.632
Chicago	10	6	.625
Boston	8	5	.500
Detroit	8	5	.500
Washington	6	11	.353
Philadelphia	4	12	.250
St. Louis	6	12	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
St. Louis	13	3	.813
Brooklyn	13	5	.750
New York	8	4	.667
Cincinnati	8	9	.471
Chicago	7	9	.438
Pittsburgh	6	9	.400
Chicago	5	10	.333
Philadelphia	4	14	.222

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Sacramento	21	8	.724
Seattle	15	11	.577
San Diego	14	12	.538
Hollywood	13	12	.520
San Francisco	13	14	.481
Oakland	11	15	.423
Portland	9	16	.360
Los Angeles	8	17	.320

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DURBAN, South Africa, May 3 (CP)—The chief clubs can carry on next season, despite wartime shortage of men, Durban and District Football Association is considering forming campaign teams, made up of players from various clubs.

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SECOND SPOT TO RAINIERS

Seattle Rallies to Triumph Over Padres to Gain the Runner-Up Berth

SEATTLE, May 3 (CP)—Seattle took over sole possession of second place in the Pacific Coast Baseball League tonight by coming from behind in the ninth inning to defeat San Diego, 4-3.

Going into the ninth, Seattle trailed 3 to 1. Centerfielder Bill Lawrence started the rally with a walk. Lee Scarsella walked and Dick Gyselman forced Lawrence at third.

Al Nomlee doubled down the left-field line and Gyselman with the tying run—Nomlee went to third when the Padre shortstop jugaled the ball on the throw-in.

With one out, a towering fly sent Nomlee home with the winning run.

	R	H	E
San Diego 010 010 010—3	8	1	
Seattle 000 100 003—4	8	1	

Batteries—Hebert and Selkeld; Turpin, Brubaker (9) and Pallos.

	R	H	E
Sacramento 100 002 000—3	14	2	
Portland 010 010 100—3	13	2	

Batteries—Prelas and Wecsenck; Bonham, Cooper (4), and Hawkins, Annunzio (4).

	R	H	E
Second game			
San Diego 000 010 000—1	4	1	
Portland 000 000 00—0	9	0	

Batteries—Holmgreen and Wecsenck, Marshall (8); Reid and Annunzio.

	R	H	E
San Francisco 000 00 023—5	14	1	
Hollywood 002 000 000—1	5	0	

Batteries—Stout and Spring; Prim, Berry (9), Totaro (8) and Collins.

	R	H	E
Hollywood 002 000 030—4	12	2	
Oakland 000 000 111—3	7	1	

Batteries—Piet, Bithorn (2), Joiner (7), Raper (8) and Dupper; Salveson, Bowman (4) and Raimondi.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

YAKIMA, May 3 (AP)—Chuck Crews's wild pitch in the ninth cost him a ball game tonight, and Vancouver defeated Yakima, 8-3, in a Western International League game.

After two were gone in the ninth, Brenner walked and Wally Moses doubled for Vancouver with the score tied. Arvan Alvey's wild pitch with Hudrea at bat scored Brenner to put the game on ice.

Vancouver piled up a three-run lead in the first, knocking Chuck Dorbrunsum out of the box. Vancouver got back that inning made another in the sixth and went into the lead with a three-run rally in the seventh, but Yakima knotted the count in the eighth when Brenner Hudrea and Wright doubled to start a fast

	R	H	E
Vancouver 200 000 021—8	11	3	
Yakima 100 001 200—3	11	1	

Batteries—Legault, Osborn (7), Dorbrunsum (8) and Brenner, Eberhardt; Johnson (1), Crews (8) and Sisco.

	R	H	E
Tacoma 0	9	0	
Sacramento 3	7	1	

Batteries—W. Smith and Bedman, Fallon and Adams.

	R	H	E
Wenatchee 040 000 000 001	5	8	2
Spokane 300 000 100 000 0—4	12	2	

Batteries—Williams, Brodier (10) and Purcell; Budnick, Kinnaman and Beard.

'V' TRUNDLERS BEAT CAFEMEN

Take Senior Tenpin Bowling League Honors at Olympic Alleys

Bowling fans at the Olympic Alleys witnessed some hard-fought games in the senior tenpin play-offs last night when the peppy Y.M.C.A. trundlers defeated the Poodle Dog Cafe three games to one. The 'V' boys were in consistent form all evening, led by dynamic Harold Fielding with scores of 204, 229, 189 and 192 totaling 814. Hardworking Ernie Rivers was high man of the evening with 182, 190, 200 and high single of 234 totaling 807.

The scores follow:

Y M C A

G. Cliff	142	182	194	296	743
F. Fielding	204	229	189	192	814
E. Rivers	182	190	200	234	807
H. Fielding	176	176	177	180	709
H. Parking	178	178	180	203	739
	882	920	940	944	
Handicap	5	5	5	5	
Gross Totals	918	925	997	949	3801

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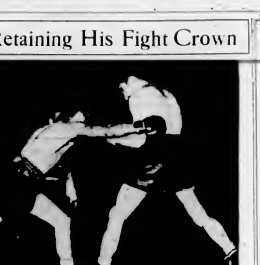
J. Bell	148	148	180	148	624
E. Bell	165	174	189	200	728
E. Bell	165	174	189	200	728
A. Wilson	165	174	189	200	728
A. White	179	183	180	180	740
	870	910	948	918	
Handicap	5	5	5	5	
Gross Totals	875	915	953	923	3671

Will Decide Date For Ball Opener

Opening date for Victoria's 1941 baseball pennant race will be set this morning at a parley of managers and members of the Victoria Baseball Association executive at Royal Athletic Park.

Senior clubs will go through another two-hour training session at the Caledonia Avenue ball lot, with the Eagles, Tillicum Athletics and Pitzer & Nas sharing the diamond. The workouts commence at 10 o'clock, and are open to all ball players. Officer members of the clubs or newcomers to the game.

Lou Salica Retaining His Fight Crown



Lou Salica, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is shown in a battle to retain his bantamweight crown as Lou Transparent, a home-town boy for this Saturday night's fight, puts on a strong bid. After a furious fifteen-rounder, however, the badger still repeated on Salica's brow. In this picture Salica (left) is seen coming in swinging, only to get clipped with a sharp left uppercut on the nose.

VICTORIA XI WINS MATCH

Defeats University School, 80 to 33—Hobson Bats Well for Winners

Victoria Cricket Club yesterday defeated the University School 80 to 33 in a friendly match played on the latter's home pitch.

Feature of the game was the splendid early season batting form displayed by P. Hobson, of the winners, who retired unbeaten after putting on fifty runs more than enough to defeat the students.

The school side batted first, but found runs hard to get against the fine bowling of the visitors. The early wickets fell cheaply, but a sudden demonstration of batting strength by Williams and Gibbs was responsible for twenty-three runs. The remainder of the team was quickly retired, being only capable of adding seven runs to the total score.

There was little batting strength on the Victoria Cricket Club side from the four performances by P. Hobson. Three of the team failed to score while the other batsmen contributed small individual totals.

Sparks bowled exceptionally well for the winners, taking four wickets for eight runs while Cupples had the best analysis for the University School getting four wickets for eighteen runs.

The score:

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL

Young, run out	0
Kennedy, run out	0
Dietz, b Trevorrow	1
Williams b Sparks	11
Gibbs, lbw, b Trevorrow	12
Mercer b Sparks	0
Leslie, b Sparks	0
Mouldey, c and b Sparks	0
Cuppies b A St. Louis	2
Wade, run out	0
Markan, run out	0
Total	22

VICTORIA

P. H. Louis lbw, b Williams	2
P. Hobson, retired	50
A. St. Louis, run out	2
Trevorrow b Cuppies	1
Twamley, b Williams	1
Sparks, b Williams	0
Mitchell, c Leslie, b Cuppies	7
Gardiner, c Leslie, b Cuppies	0
Collett, b Cuppies	0
Gibbs, b Williams	0
Curry, not out	0
Extras, not out	1
Total	60

Bowling Analysis

The School—	O	W	R
Sparks	8	4	8
Twamley	4	0	8
Gardiner	2	0	6
P. St. Louis	2	0	8
A. St. Louis	3.3	0	11
Trelawne	2	0	8
Victoria—	O	W	R
Williams	8	4	14
Young	5	0	20
Cuppies	4.2	4	18
Mollier	1	0	3

CHURCHILL DOWNS

CHURCHILL DOWNS, May 3

Entries for Sunday, Derby Day

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Bid Up
Bid Up

BOXLA SQUADS ALL SET FOR OPENING FIXTURES

Bays and Alerts to Battle Tuesday at The Sports Centre

Colorful Ceremony Arranged for Grand Opening —Army Band and Girls' Drill Team to Attend— Junior Game at 7 o'Clock—Feature Attraction at 8:30—Moresby Will Officiate

It's boxla time again. And as Victoria's many fans await the grand opening next Tuesday evening at the Sports Centre, Willows Exhibition Grounds, officials of the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association are rapidly completing last-minute details for the inaugural game of the 1941 season.

The opening ceremonies promise to be the most colorful since the introduction of the sport here and will include the appearance of the Victoria Girls Drill Team and the 5th R.C.A. Band. The soldier musicians will be in attendance from 6 o'clock on, and all participate in

ART McKIM (James Bay Goalie)

the grand parade to mark the opening of the season. The Girls' Drill Team, under the personal direction of Capt. Norman Foster, organizer will present their numbers during the halftime interval of the senior contest.

With such an elaborate opening planned it is only fitting that James Bay, 1940 champions, and Alerts, runner, their keenest rivals for boxla supremacy, should share in the first big night's performance. The senior clash is slated for 8:30 o'clock, and will be preceded by a junior fixture at 7 o'clock, Sea-Scout McKenzie Bakers, last year's champions, and Girl Drug.

W. C. Moresby K.C., former president of the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association, and one of the "pioneers" of the streamlined sport in this city, will face off the ball in the senior contest. This ceremony will immediately follow the grand march by the senior clubs headed by the army band.

FRIDAY'S GAME

With the Army being granted a week's extension to get properly organized and ready for the game, the Jokers and James Bay will play Friday evening in the senior circuit. The others will make their debut the following Tuesday.

Friday's junior contest at 7 o'clock will pit together Douglas Tire and Heaney.

TEAM STRONGER

Their line-up to be stronger than when they won the league title last year, McLean's Bakery are all set for their opening clash with Owl Drug. Manned by Art Chapman, the Grocers have a well-balanced squad and are confident of being able to give the bakery lads plenty of trouble.

With a grand opening ceremony which promises to be highly entertaining awaiting the fans, and two good fixtures listed, local officials are anticipating a record-breaking attendance. The association is anxious to have a good turnout for the Canadian Red Cross and feels confident that the sporting public will work ready and willing to assist in a grand cause. Will rally to the call in large numbers.

Line-ups follow:

James Bay—Art McKim, Frank Doheny, Tom McKenzie, Ed McKim, Sid Anderson, Ralph Baker, Bob Wallace, Austin Cullin, Red Mason, Jack Sargent, Eddie Ball, Art Chapman and Lloyd Steer.

Alert Service—W. Noel, N. Coates, N. Venner, A. Cowbarwick, W. Allen, H. Price, W. Hamm, R. Harding, J. Pickford, C. Overwatch, J. Bamford, J. Moseley and H. Holmes.

McLean's Bakery—Taylor, Porter, Robinson, Rhodes, Watson, J. Lott, D. Popham, Jones, Les. McCaughey, Ransom, Penketh, Bishop and G. Lott.

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PAULDING IS TOP BOWLER

Wins Individual Honors in Olympic Senior Tenpin League for Year

Harold Paulding proved to the bowling public once again that he is one of the most consistent pin-spillers in Victoria. The official averages released on Saturday by Secretary Will Johnston showed Paulding well in front of the Olympic Senior Tenpin League with a mark of 183.4 for ninety games, while Jim Ferguson finished in the runner-up slot with an average of 182.8 for seventy-seven fixtures and Jan Malcolm was next with 183.2 for sixty-six performances.

Paulding also walked off with the three high-game honors by hitting them for 727 one evening, and nobody, of course came very close to Will Johnston's single game of 299, which missed the bowler's dream score of 300 by a single pin, one which worried that right bud fained to fall into the pit. Struthis Brothers rolled the highest three-game total of the season, with 2,800, and Mayfair Men's Wear finished first in the singles with 1,040. Final standings of teams for the season follow:

Y.M.C.A., 57, Poodle Dog Cafe, 46, Struthis Brothers, 41, Olympians, 40, Watsons Men's Wear and Five Roses Flour, with 38.

The following is the final averages of all players for the year:

	G	Av.
H. Paulding	90	183.4
J. Ferguson	77	182.8
J. Malcolm	66	183.2
G. Law	45	182
J. Cullin	38	181.2
H. Howell	83	180.6
R. Mapleson	45	180.6
A. Pick	60	180.5
J. Stewart	90	180
J. Quinn	63	180
J. Bell	64	179
R. White	90	178
W. Johnston	90	178
J. Bryant	71	177
E. Holmes	64	177
E. Rivers	83	177
R. Swart	78	177
A. Riddell	87	175
J. Thomson	77	175
T. Bowden	56	174
C. Thackeray	61	173
J. Barrett	60	172
H. Stuart	28	172
J. Marks	81	172
F. Young	84	170
H. Brownell	39	170
T. Lambie	83	169
D. Donaldson	90	168
G. Cliff	87	167
J. F. Paulding	90	168
H. Pedrena	40	163
H. Jealous	65	158

PRO-RECS ENJOY HIKING JOURNEY

Members of the Victoria Pro-Rec Hiking Club, regardless of overall skies and intermittent showers, enjoyed their usual Friday outing upon arrival of the hikers at their destination, Cadboro Bay, the delighted members of the Uplands, a scene of great activity. Log fires were built and swimming and beach games participated in. Later, refreshments and dancing in the beach pavilion put the hikers in fine trim for the walk home by way of the delightful gardens of the Uplands. The exquisite perfume of the flowers fresh with rain, and the joyous singing of the skylarks made the return trip doubly enjoyable.

FOOTBALL PARTY THURSDAY NIGHT

Grand finale of the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association for the 1940-41 season will be staged Thursday evening at the A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant Street, when all players and managers will be guests of the association.

Cups won during the year will be presented, and a programme of entertainment will follow. Refreshments will be served. Team managers are asked to make their reservations with the executive not later than Tuesday evening. The function will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Checks on Injured Reiser

Pete Reiser, crack rookie outfielder for the Brooklyn Dodgers, is shown on a hospital table being examined by a physician after Pete was hit on the head by one of Ike Pearson's pitches during a game with the Philadelphia Phillies at Ebbets Field. He was removed from the field on a stretcher, although not unconscious. The full force of the blow apparently was warded off by the player's protective cap—an innovation of the Dodgers. However, Pete suffered a fractured cheek bone.

CHURCHILL SENDS MESSAGE OF HOPE

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sierre and to complete this work of national reconstruction you need and you hoped for a similar period of peaceful development.

When the call came Poland did not hesitate, she did not hesitate to risk all the progress she had made, rather than compromise her national honor and she showed to the spoilers, and to our cost of her aura and daughters that spirit of national pride and self-sacrifice which has maintained her among the great nations of Europe.

With all her trials and tribulations I know from talks I have had with Poles who are in this country how manifestly the mass of the Polish people, outside among the appeal to duty in the hour of need.

SPEAKS OF WARSAW

I can see deep down in more than half I'ward of the inhabitants of Warsaw during the three weeks of the siege and of their continued resistance in the allen oppressor who now occupies their city. We in this country, who are convinced that our strength is built on the broad masses of the British nation appreciate and admire the Polish nation for its noble attitude since the outbreak of the war.

Mainly for geographical reasons personal contacts between your peoples were restricted in the past. And fighting as we are at opposite ends of Europe against our common foe, this war has not yet provided an opportunity for such personal contact of any large scale between you and my own countrymen.

FORTUNES OF WAR

The fortunes of war have now, even brought to these shores your President, your Government, and many thousands of your Polish soldiers, airmen, sailors and merchant seamen. Their bearing has won them universal admiration in this country and cast further barrier if that was possible upon the proud heroic tradition of Poland.

It has been my privilege to come to know your Prime Minister and commander-in-chief, General Sikorski, whose leadership, energy and unfaltering confidence is a source of great encouragement for all who meet him. I have visited your soldiers in Scotland while they were waiting to repel the invader, and while they are bringing in their hearts above all, to every man the joy of freedom in their fellow countrymen at home.

I have seen your pilots who have by their prowess played a glorious part in the epoch of the German air blitz.

SHARING IN TASK

Meanwhile your sailors have been earning the respect and high regard of their comrades in the Royal Navy and merchant marine with whom they are sharing the task of maintaining those contacts with America and with the outside world through which will come the liberation of your country.

The gracious have of your Government and armed forces has enabled us to get to know each other better and to know and admire for Anglo-Polish relations after our common victory and the restoration of your freedom.

Our thoughts go out tonight not only to those valiant exiled Poles whom we have learned to like and respect in the British Islands and who stand armed to the ranks at the service of liberation, but even better and to those who are gripped in home in the merciless oppression of the Hun.

UNDER NAZI HEEL

All over Europe races and states, whose culture and history made it them a part of the general life of Christendom in centuries-when the Prussians were no better than a barbarous tribe and the German Empire counter than an aggressive union of pugnacious principalities, are now prostrate under the dark cruel yoke of Hitler and his Nazi gang.

Yet even his firing parties and bins in a dozen lands. Mendiac in Oslo, Dunkirk, Dundee, Norwegians, Wednesday, French or Belgians stand against the wall. Thinkin it is the Czechs who must suffer and now there are the Serbs and the Greeks to fill his requisite bill of execution. But always, all days, there are the Poles.

The atrocity committed by Hitler on the Poles, the ravishing of their country, the scattering of their homes, the affronts to their religion, the enslavement of their manpower, exceed in intensity and in the diabolisms perpetrated by Hitler in any other conquered land. It is to you Poles in Poland, who bear the full brunt of the Nazi oppression and of your politics and venal, that the hearts of the British and American democracies go out in a full and generous tide.

WILL NEVER DESPAIR

We send you our message of hope and encouragement tonight knowing that the Poles will never despair and that the soul of Poland will remain unconquerable. That will astonish the overhanded barbarians, who slave-hearted themselves, are blind only to every Divit virtue to others this war will be long and hard, but the end is near.

The end will reward all toil and disappointments all suffering and those who faithfully serve the cause of European and world freedom.

A day will come perhaps sooner than we now have a right to hope when the insane attempt to found a Prussian domination on racial hatred, on the armed violence, on the secret police on the alien overlord, and on still more Nazi Quislings, will pass like a monstrous dream and in that morning of hope and freedom, not only the embattled and at last well-armed democracies but all that is noble and fearless in the New World as well as the Old will share the rose of Poland to be a nation once again.

VICTORIA SKIM STARS TO TRAVEL

The executive committee of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club which met Friday in the Coastal Garden, decided to send a team to Vancouver to participate in the Pacific British Columbia Championship Gala to be held on June 21.

In future the executive of the Victoria club will meet at the Coastal Garden on the first Friday of every month at 8:30 p.m.

England Defeats Scotland Squad In Soccer Game

GLASGOW May 2 (CP)—England fought from behind twice to defeat Scotland 3-1 in an international soccer match at Hampden Park before 75,000.

Twenty-years Scotland a one-goal lead early in the game but Welsh equalized before the change of ends and Welsh and Goulden scored in the second half for England.

DUNC McCAIG TOP BOWLER

Savoy Cafe Trundler Is High Man in Fivepin League At Arcade Alleys

Dunc McCaig, ace pin spiller of the Savoy Cafe squad, Senior Fivepin Bowling League champions, topped the individual averages at the Arcade Alleys, according to the official figures released yesterday by the league statistician. McCaig rolled eighty-seven games and finished with the splendid mark of 228.4.

Art Porter, veteran trundler and one of the city's leading bowlers, finished in second place with a mark of 227.1 for ninety games. In third position with an average of 224.8 for eighty-four games was Herb Gent.

G. Andrews compiled the fine score of 280 to take high single-game honors, and H. Gent rolled 803 for high three-game total.

Savoy Cafe trundlers annexed the league honors by winning both halves of the schedule, thereby eliminating any possibility of a play-off for the championship.

Individual averages follow:

	G	Av.
D. McCaig	87	228.4
A. Porter	90	227.1
H. Gent	84	224.8
W. Marshall	79	218.4
G. Andrews	90	216.6
E. Bowie	69	210.3
Dave McCaig	63	208
J. Hosiah	51	207.7
H. Anderson	75	207.1
J. Wilson	75	207.1
P. Welsh	83	205
W. Dunn	87	204.5
H. Moulton	84	203.5
N. Lewis	81	196.2
J. Hoatsale	16	193.5
C. Kinney	25	192.4
T. Leahy	83	192
W. Proctor	57	191.2
J. Collins	24	189.9
J. Collins	76	185
C. Chislett	60	180.9
J. Jackson	51	172.1
G. McPhee	74	167.8
J. Drusted	50	103.2
B. McLean	48	162.8

BRITISH FORCES REPULSE IRAQUIS

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said Habbaniah air was surrounded by Iraqi troops entrenched in the high ground overlooking the field and that since early on Friday the unfortified cantonment had been blasted by artillery shells.

Some of the guns were smashed by British bombers, but the shelling of point-blank range continued and the Iraqi Air Force has tried to raid the airdrome British officials stated.

As regards Iraqi claims to have occupied oil wells and all airdromes in the country, said the Ministry of Information, it should be pointed out that these have always been in Iraqi hands with the single exception of Rizaba Airdrome near Basra where so far as is known no hostile action has been attempted.

Large quantities of British stores and munitions of contentions remained in the Iraq struggle even with German officialdom preferred private disclosure.

Speculation in London three broadcasts included assertions that the Iraqis had blown up over 40 wells, pipelines pump stations and refineries.

While Britain eyed the situation with undisguised concern, a British authority said the oil pipeline still was operating and that in any event there had been stored on numerous and adequate for reserves in the Mediterranean.

Informed Britons blamed the Germans entirely for the Middle East problem and speculated that the Nazis were trying to cause discord by supporting Rashid Ali, Premier Transjordan, Saudi Arabia and Iran.

FORCE IS SECRET

ANKARA, May 2 (CP)—The Turkish radio estimated that Britain had at least 50,000 troops in Iraq, including an full motorized of Indians.

(The number of British troops in Iraq is an official secret but London dispatches on Friday said British were thought to total about 20,000.)

SMALL LOSS WAS ALMOST MIRACLE

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with full knowledge that this would be of extreme difficulty and danger owing to the enemy's command of the air the configuration of the Greek coast and the fact that enemy air attack had made most of the major Greek ports unusable.

In taking off 13,500 men that first night, largely from the Piraeus area of the Peloponnese the Admiralty stated that an empty transport ran aground and was bombed and burned out.

Two empty British transports were lost the next night.

The night of April 28, 18,000 men were withdrawn—the greatest number of any single night—most of them from the National (Laconia) region of the South Peloponnesus. Off Nauplion the laden transport was set afire by German bombers, but the destroyer Diamond finally had to torpedo her because the fire was a beacon for the Nazis.

After leaving Nauplion the destroyers were sunk the Admiralty declaring.

Survivors from these destroyers reported men were repeatedly attacked by machine gun fire by German aircraft while they were in the water.

The withdrawal was scheduled to end April 28-29 but the Germans got to Kalamai before this could be accomplished.

The Admiralty closed its long review with particular praise for the merchant and Allied naval crews.

STOCKHOLM (CP)—Despite a bitter controversy with the Government over the proposed price for coal, the Swedish Farmers Party representatives decided to remain in the Fascist Cabinet.

TO COMPETE IN TOURNEY

Betty Jameson, Former National Golf Champion, to Play in Spokane

SPOKANE, Wash., May 2.—Betty Jameson of San Antonio, Texas, twice national women's amateur golf champion, will compete in the Pacific Northwest Golf Association's annual tournament here June 23 to 28, Mainon Rudolf, PNGA president, said today.

A large California entry headed by Mrs. Leon Lengfeld, of San Mateo and including Barbara Beach, pre-war constitutional nineteenth Thompson of San Francisco, former Northwest champion, also is on the tourney list he said.

Rucker said Miss Jameson would come here from the Western open at Cincinnati and go from Spokane to Banff, Alta., to give an exhibition on Dominion Day, July 1.

Marvin (Bob) Ward, Spokane's former national amateur champion, will about again in the men's division of the tourney for the Northwest amateur crown. He has traded 8 hole consistently.

The men will compete at the Spokane Country Club and the women will play qualifying rounds at the Manito links switching to the country club for the last three days of title competition.

LONDON (CP)—Appointment of H. V. Hodson as reform commissioner in India is interpreted here as emphasizing the Government's anxiety to see the war cleared for the Manito links switching to the country club for the last three days of title competition.

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Swing Music Featured Item in "Buck Privates"

Hilarious comedy with Bud Abbott and Lou Costello leading the procession plus the swing rhythms of the Andrews Sisters, ably assisted by a group of swingsters highlight the showing of "Buck Private," now apparing at the Dominion Theatre.

Spokesmen for the male swingsters are Bette Davis' Matchbox and Hugh Herbert's Waldo, who in real life are featured with twenty-four other sure fire kids in the Universal comedy about army camp life.

For a moment forgetting their jive talk," Miss Matchbox asks Collins say, "Anybody who wants to sound off picks the jitterbugs for their target. But there are a few things on our side, too.

"For one thing, jitterbugging is probably the most exacting dancing there is. Precise steps like Miss Matchbox and Hugh Herbert do jive in real life, but they are planned and measured." Lee Bowman and Alan Curtis are other headliners in the cast.

FRONTIER MOVIE OAK BAY BOOKING

"When the Daltons Rode" Stars Randolph Scott and Kay Francis

Randolph Scott and Kay Francis top a stellar cast in "When the Daltons Rode," Universal's new frontier action epic, which comes Monday to the Oak Bay Theatre.

Heading the supporting roster in the roles of the celebrated Dalton boys themselves are Brian Donlevy, Broderick Crawford, Stuart Erwin and Frank Albertson, while other important members include George Bancroft, Andy Devine, Mary Gordon, Harry Carey, Regis Toomey and Quinn Ramsey.

The film marks the first "outdoor" role of Miss Francis' career. She is seen as the telegraph operator of Coffeyville Kan., centre of the Dalton gang operation in the early nineties.

NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB

The regular meeting of the Newfoundland Club will be held tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Noel 1429 Richardson Street.

PICTURE FILLED WITH ADVENTURE

Frederic March and Betty Field Came to Atlas Screen in the Drama "Victory"

The screen version of one of the most brilliant tales of romance and exciting adventure written by the great Joseph Conrad will be seen when Paramount's latest drama, "Victory," starring Frederic March and Betty Field, opens Monday at the Atlas Theatre.

For almost two generations generations of the famous Conrad novels have been thrilled by his stirring sagas of adventure in Java seas and by his beautiful love story. An immortal for the screen, it is matchless in its appeal. It has the stuff in it of which film masterpieces are made.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Frederic March and Betty Field in "Victory."

Capitol—Carole Lombard and Robert Montgomery in "Mr. and Mrs. Smith."

Dominion — "Buck Privates," with Bud Abbott and Lou Costello.

Oak Bay—Randolph Scott and Kay Francis in "When the Daltons Rode."

Plaza— Sailors Three" featuring Tommy Trinder and company.

Rio—George Sanders in "So This Is London."

York—James Stewart starred in "Destry Rides Again."

BRITISH COMICS IN FILM FARCE

"So This Is London" Showing Tomorrow at the Rio Theatre, Has Starring Cast

Mix-ups, misunderstandings and pure fun predominate in "So This Is London," the new 20th Century-Fox release starring the famous British comics, Robertson Hare and Alfred Drayton with George Sanders. It opens at the Rio Theatre Monday.

It is the same comedy farce that George M. Cohan made famous on the stage version, and it retains all the pungent humor and the good-natured fun of the famous author. There is a steady fire of smart dialogue masterfully interspersed with uproarious situations that make it one long string of laughs.

BUSES BEAT BOMBS

LONDON CP—Nazi bombs have frequently torn down a few and ripped craters into roads where London's trolley buses operate, but instant repairs have kept the 2500-mile system functioning with only occasional delays.

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Movie of the Old West Stars Marlene Dietrich

While Marlene Dietrich's return to the screen as a belle of the old West, featuring Universal's "Destry Rides Again," now at the York Theatre, there are many other unusual elements in the Marlene-filled picture.

Miss Dietrich co-stars with James Stewart, who starred sensationally in "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington."

The two stars head an unusually strong supporting cast, including such well-known players as Mischa Auer, Charles Winninger, Brian Donlevy, Irene Hervey, Una Merkel, Allen Jenkins, Warren Hymer, Samuel S. Hinds, Billy Gilbert and others.

In sharp contrast to her recent screen roles Miss Dietrich is seen as a fighting singing female entertainer in a frontier barroom, where she sings cowboy songs to the rowdy Westerners. She assists of with Mischa Merkel in an epic fist fight that has been rated the feminine counterpart of the great battle in "The Spoilers."

DIPLOMAT WILL ADDRESS CLUB

Sir Robert Clive, G.C.M.G., To Speak at Open Meeting of Rotarians

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, dinner meeting, Terry's, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, 3.45 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. Lions Club, luncheon meeting, Spencer's, 12.10 p.m.

At the Rotary Club luncheon meeting tomorrow, the Gyros will hold a supper meeting open to members' wives. Plans for the forthcoming Gyro convention will be discussed.

On Tuesday afternoon the Women's Canadian Club will meet in the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Little Bethel will speak on "The Romance of Australia," and Miss Marion Mitchell will be the soloist.

Major J. P. Simon will address members of the Lions Club at their luncheon meeting on Thursday at noon. His topic has not been announced.

Sir Robert has had almost forty years' experience in the British diplomatic service and is expected to speak on events leading up to the war and the Pacific situation.

This week has been designated by Kiwanis International as Music Week and will be fittingly observed by the Victoria Club on Tuesday at noon. A group of artists from the Red Triangle Concert Party will attend the luncheon and provide a programme of music and song.

In place of their regular luncheon meeting tomorrow, the Gyros will hold a supper meeting open to members' wives. Plans for the forthcoming Gyro convention will be discussed.

desiring to make a reservation is asked to telephone the secretary at Empire 7016.

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Your Health and Your Weight

WHY MEAT, EGGS AND FISH ARE NOT REDUCED IN REDUCING WEIGHT

By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

One of the arguments that merchants use when advised to eat less food is that everybody should eat in proportion to their size and weight and so long as they are naturally heavy, they have to eat large meals to maintain their strength.

As a matter of fact we all should eat according to our ideal weight for our particular build. If of heavy build but not fat, more food should be eaten than by one of average or slender build. There should however be no allowance made for the weight of excess fat that is carried around in the form of useless fat. The truth is that less food should be eaten in direct proportion to the amount of excess fat present. Fat tissue does not need any food to maintain it because fat is fuel itself. In fact, fat is all that fat is namely, fuel, stored fuel. It is not an active tissue such as muscle that is continuously wearing itself out because it is active.

As a source of fuel heat energy, fat is the richest food of all. A gram of protein (meat, eggs, fish) gives four calories of heat or energy. A gram of carbohydrate (starch food—potatoes, bread, sugar) gives four calories of heat or energy. Fat, however, gives nine calories for each gram, so it is three times as rich a fuel or food as starch or proteins or carbohydrates. It is for this reason that nature means our bodies to have as much as twenty to thirty pounds of fat under the skin and beneath the various organs. The fat, while acting as a support to organs and a protection for the nerves serves an important purpose in being a reservoir or storehouse of fuel or food ahead so to speak, of time. Fat is also necessary to help keep heat in the body.

After recognizing that fat is necessary for support of organs, protection of nerves, and is richest in food value the fact remains that nature has provided us with a normal amount of fat to do all these necessary things. It is what we "add" to the amount of fat that nature provides that causes trouble in the body. Excess fat interferes with all the activities of the body, it strains on heart and blood vessels, decreasing resistance to infection, being a hindrance to digestion and making surgical operations more dangerous.

The proportion of the various foods eaten, and the fuel value of each gram or ounce of food, is considerable part problem (meat eggs fish) (starch fats butter cream, lard, cream, yolk of eggs, gravies) and three to four parts starches (vegetables and potatoes). These proportions are measured in calories.

It is known that fats and starches both give energy and both store fat, whereas proteins give energy and repair worn tissue but do not store fat. Accordingly if one is on the reducing proteins which are rich in fat (fat meat). It is low this reason, starch and fats—alone fats—that both these foods are reduced in amount in all diets to reduce weight. Thus, while the diet for the individual of normal weight doing home office or light work is the proportion of one protein to two fats, to three or four starches, the diet for reduction of weight is one protein to one fat, to one or two starch foods.

Why is protein food not reduced in amount in reducing diets? Because this food is of special use in maintaining and repairing tissue. It is "stimulating" to the individual and stimulating to digestion and to the absorption of foods into the blood. It has more dynamic action or power than other foods. Also it cannot be stored as fat as can the fats and starches.

It can thus be seen that a food that maintains the structure of the tissues has more stimulating power to burning up foods and preventing fat storage (as fats and starches and sugars fuel) be stored as fat, is a valuable food for anyone wishing to reduce weight.

Hence all physicians in prescribing a reducing diet increase, rather than decrease, the proteins.

Lombard and Montgomery Co-Starred in Laugh Hit

Co-starring Carole Lombard and Robert Montgomery, who are seen together for the first time, Mr. and Mrs. Smith," now at the Capitol Theatre, presents these top favorites in a riotous social comedy of a young Park Avenue lawyer and the woman who for three years has been accepted as his wife.

Weaving an story deftly from around the marital life of this high-society and the unique domestic rules by which they live the film has a crisis when the two discover that their wedding was illegal. In a hectic and hilarious finale it finds them grimly press the lady to make up her mind.

Rector Instituted To South Saanich

The institution of Rev. Warren Turner B.A. as incumbent of South Saanich took place in the Bishop of Columbia's chapel at Bishop's Close yesterday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock.

Besides a number of clergy, there was a representative gathering of parishioners present. Bishop Sexton delivered a brief address and welcomed Mr. Turner to the fellowship of the diocese.

Mr. Turner who came to the city from Balgowne, Sask., enters upon his new duties this morning.

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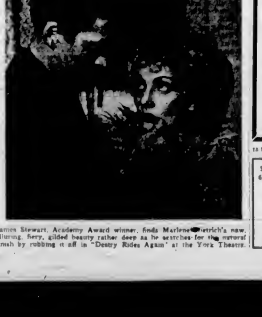

James Stewart, Academy Award winner, finds Marlene Dietrich's new, alluring, fiery, gilded beauty rather deep as he searches for the mislaid gimlet by rubbing it off in "Destry Rides Again" at the York Theatre.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

FIRE ABOARD NAVY VESSEL

Smoke and Fumes Overcome Workers While Battling Blaze

PORTLAND, Ore., May 3 (AP) — The U.S.S. Neville, former merchant ship now being converted into a navy troopship here, was damaged by fire early today, the second blaze aboard the ship in twelve hours.

William Hussell, welder and C. Nordstrom, boilermaker's aide, were overcome by smoke and hospitalized. Several others were helped from the ship's engine room, and Fire Captain H. Gill, of the Portland department, was overcome by ammonia fumes while battling the fire in the ships hold. He was revived.

Navy men and workmen would give no cause of the fire which was known to burn for more than an hour in the refrigeration room where insulation within the walls apparently smouldered.

Late yesterday afternoon a small fire broke out aboard the ship. It also destroyed some cork insulating material in the wall of a galley in the captain's quarters in another part of the craft. Damage in the first blaze was estimated at $275 by Fire Investigator William Geerz, but no estimate of damage of the second fire has been made. However Geerz said, "damage will involve thousands of dollars."

Gasping holes were battered into the side of the vessel and through the main deck in order to reach the blaze.

The lighting system failed soon after the fire broke out and ammonia pipes burst as workmen trapped in the darkness, fled to safety. Four firemen were overcome by gas fumes and taken to the hospital with Hussell.

AFTER BURNING FIVE HOURS, FIRE ABOARD SHIP UNDER CONTROL

PHILADELPHIA, May 3 (AP) — Fire smouldered deep in the hold of an aircraft carrier (vessel) at Reading Company Pier D for more than five hours before being brought under control early today.

Reading officials said the ship was the 6,000-ton Winona, owned by the Weyerhauser Steamship Company and registered out of Everett, Wash. It was loading general cargo for West Coast ports.

DEATH ENDS TEST FLIGHT

Royal Canadian Air Force Men Killed When Training Plane Crashes

YORKTON Sask., May 3 (CP) — Two members of the Royal Canadian Air Force attached to No. 11 Service Flying Training School were killed yesterday afternoon when their Harvard training plane crashed six miles southwest of Ebenezer, Sask.

The dead are Sgt. M. E. Davidson, pilot of the machine, and A.C.2 T. R. Hubert. Davidson's next of kin was given as Mrs. M. K. Davidson, his widow, Galt, Ont., while Hubert's next of kin was listed as Mrs. David Hubert, mother, 825 Seventh Avenue West, Brandon.

Air force officials reported the crash occurred during a test flight. They said the machine apparently went into a spin at 2,500 feet. Ebenezer is ten miles north of Yorkton.

The Harvard plane was "completely demolished" by the force of the impact, said R.C.A.F. authorities.

The cause of the accident has not been determined, but a court of inquiry will be held.

Youngest Flyer to Win Distinction

PILOT ERIC LOCK

PILOT Officer Eric Lock is only twenty-one years old, but already has twenty-two Nazi planes officially to his credit. The young R.A.F. fighter pilot is the youngest to receive the Distinguished Service Order of this war. In addition, he has received the Distinguished Flying Cross and a bar to the latter.

BUSY STUDYING SHIP PROBLEMS

Great Lakes Fleets' Owners Co-operating With Canadian Shipping Board

OTTAWA May 3 (CP) — Great Lake steamship companies are making a survey of their fleets and commitments in order to inform the Canadian Shipping Board what ships can be spared from the trade on the Lakes for coastal trade on the Atlantic Ocean.

An authoritative source said today the board's object is to see if ocean-going ships now in coastal trade can be replaced by lake boats so the ocean ships may be diverted to trans-Atlantic traffic.

Representatives of all the larger Lake steamship companies, including Canada Steamship Lines, Keystone Steamship Company, Paterson Steamship Company, Sarnia Steamship Company and Upper Lakes and St. Lawrence Transportation Company met the shipping board this week when a survey of their facilities and the business they had contracted for was requested.

A board official said several companies have already turned in reports.

There is already a heavy demand for shipping space on the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence (but official said today).

"If ships are transferred to the Atlantic it will mean a heavier load on the railways and we shall study this thoroughly as soon as the reports are in and submit a recommendation to the Government."

Last year numerous vessels of minister type were chartered to the United Kingdom representatives of ships from the Great Lakes, and it was understood the board was examining the available supplies of shipping to see if further help could be given.

Young Canadian Flyer Home on Leave

Photo by Crown

GUNNER FRANK HENGMAN

SON of Mrs B. W. Belyea, 156 St. Joseph Street, who has been spending his leave in Victoria. Aged twenty-one, young Hengman joined the Royal Canadian Air Force in August, 1940 and has made rapid progress in the service, obtaining sergeant's stripes and an air gunner's wing last month.

Man Believed to Have Drowned in Launch Accident

VANCOUVER May 3 (CP) — Police continued dragging operations in the harbor here today for the body of William Oakley, North Vancouver, believed to have drowned when the small work boat Chummy No. 4, owned by Burrard Dry-dock Company, Ltd., sank off Pier "B" last night.

The work tender, believed to have been carrying five men, was capsized by the propeller wash of a freighter the launch sank after striking another vessel and the men jumped and swam to a nearby lumber scow, where four were pulled to safety. Oakley has not been accounted for.

The Chummy No. 4 was raised by a derrick late last night.

BIG MAMMALS MAKE TROUBLE

Sea Lions Destroy Fish and Nets on Coast of British Columbia

There will be thanks aplenty for the man who devises a commercial use for sea lions, according to British Columbia fishermen, in whose waters the bothersome mammals range up and down the Coast stealing fish from the fisherman's nets and more often than not wrecking the nets for good measure. Reports from the Cape Mudge area tell of a large herd of the animals, and over Nanaimo fishermen tell of their depredations and damaged.

These are just the balances of the trouble the sea lions can make. Of course, they do not frequent the whole of the Coast, but they can cause plenty of trouble, especially when their "hauling out grounds" in fact, because of their destructiveness, the Dominion Department of Fisheries has been forced to conduct "hunts from time to time in order to exercise a partial control over their numbers.

Various experiments have been made seeking a commercial use for these marine lions. Some time ago a British firm tried out the manufacture of gloves and similar articles from leather made from the hides. The outbreak of the war, however, halted development of the scheme. More lately, experiments have been made in using sea lion carcasses in the preparation of food for animals on Canadian fur farms. Sea lion meat is apparently satisfactory for animal food, but costs in capturing the lions are high. Seeking additional ideas to cause a check was made of the possibility of using sea lion oil. According to fishery scientists, however, sea lion blubber oil is very similar to whale oil and not of great value in small quantities. Sea lion oil is commercial more valuable, but it is reported to be doubtful, as yet at least, whether it would yield enough revenue could be obtained from the product.

Troublesome as the sea lions are careful check is kept on all hunting operations, and permission of the department is required before commercial hunts can be undertaken. So that no threat of extermination of the species in British Columbia a stern may be involved.

YOUNG FLYER GAINS WINGS

Victorian in Royal Air Force Eager to "Buzz" Over Germany

PILOT OFFICER H. LAW

A young Victorian H. Law also recently in England with the intention of joining the Royal Navy and after arriving there transferred his affections to the Royal Air Force, writing to Captain H. Beaumont-Nesbitt that he had been treated splendidly in the flying service and shown every consideration.

Enlisting for air crew duties, Law writes that he was two weeks at a receiving centre, seven weeks I.T.W., twelve weeks E.F.T.S., sixteen weeks S.F.T.S. and just over four weeks at an English training school, where he passed fifth out of fifty in the "wings" examination.

TRAINING THRILLS

Telling of some of his training thrills, Pilot Officer Law relates how "Jerry was with him when he had to bail out over the Solway Firth when another machine took my wing and tail off and I couldn't get clear till within 500 feet of the deck. Incidentally I got a nice little rest for six weeks with that unromantic complaint, water on the knee, so I twisted said member when I hit terra firma.

"Then again back home he strung some high tension wires carrying 110,000 volts. I lost both propellers and had to land with undercarriage retracted in a farmer's field. Fortunately this was the instructor's mistake so it was no black on my record. He was demonstrating low flying at the time.

"I hope anerthy Law concludes, "to be buzzing around over Germany or alternately firing a twin-engined night fighter, preferably the latter. I am now taking instruction in a certain type of operational work and it is quite interesting, although I want to get going at times.

"Jerry has been hitting pretty hard some of the towns, but the people are taking the bombing stoically. In fact it seems to be an attribute of the British character—the more and the bigger outrages they suffer from the enemy, the more they are determined to see the thing through. The old bulldog spirit, I guess."

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (CP) — Importance of American history and culture to Australian youth commended by Attorney-General Sir Henry Manning, who suggested suitable prizes in the schools of New South Wales.

Picture Presented To Oak Bay School

Members of Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E. recently paid a visit to their adopted school, the Monterey, and presented a framed photograph of Prime Minister Winston Churchill to be hung in the school. Mrs. W. C. Nichol, the regent, made the presentation on behalf of the chapter. She was accompanied by Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. T. A. McNeill and other members of the chapter.

Captain F. G. Dexter, the principal, introduced the visitors and told the children of the interest shown by the chapter and the help which had been given during a period of years.

Charming little Victorian poems were presented by the children of the first grade, and patriotic songs and a Maypole dance were given in honor of the visitors.

Anglican Young People

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

The members of the Junior A.Y. enjoyed a pleasant and interesting meeting on Friday, under the leadership of Miss Sylvia Shaddick. A model "quiz" programme was put and was much enjoyed. Several members of the Senior A.Y. attended the meeting.

LANGFORD—COLWOOD

Under the auspices of the Langford-Colwood branch, a successful Country Fair was held on Friday evening in the Colwood Hall. Mr. J. Jameson was in charge of the clock-golf. Miss Kathleen Cocotsil a flower stall; Misses Joan Robinson, Joyce Beely and Mary Reynolds, a candy stall; Misses Ethel Brown and Margaret Coombes, "hot dogs" and coffee; Bob Little and Kevin Robinson, bingo, and J. Jamieson, darts. Mrs. E. Shields won the raffle contest. Other games and contests had been provided for children.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORTS

SUNDAY—Fair southeast, force 20 to 25 knots.

PACIFIC—Fair southeast moderate, 20 to 25 moderate rising early.

CARRANAH—Fair east, light 20 to 25 rising.

CAPE SCALE—Fair southeast and east, 20 to 25 knots early.

LEONARD ISLAND—Fair southeast, moderate, 20 to 25 knots.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Str. Princess Patricia: Str. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily at 8.30 a.m. Str. Princess Kathleen or Str. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 3.30 p.m. Str. Princess Joan or Str. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 10.30 p.m. Str. Princess Joan or Str. Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VANCOUVER-VICTORIA — Str. Princess Joan or Str. Princess Elizabeth leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.30 a.m. Str. Princess Kathleen or Str. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 3.30 p.m. Str. Princess Joan or Str. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Victoria daily at 10.30 p.m. Str. Princess Kathleen or Str. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Str. Crescent leaves Victoria Inner Ent. Port Angeles at 10.45 a.m. Str. Imperial will arrive Victoria Inner Ent. Port Angeles at 2.30 p.m. Str. Imperial will leave Victoria Inner Ent. Port Angeles at 3.30 p.m. Str. Crescent will arrive Victoria Inner Ent. Port Angeles at 7.30 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Str. Princess Kathleen leaves for Seattle daily at 9.30 a.m. Str. Princess Marguerite will arrive Seattle daily at 3.30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — Str. Princess Alberni leaves Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesday, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Str. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 4.30 p.m. Wednesday.

WEST COAST—Str. Princess Maquinna leaves Wednesday at 10 a.m. Victoria for Port Alberni and West Coast points at Victoria Inner Ent. Str. Princess Mary will arrive Victoria Inner Ent. Port Alberni and West Coast points at 7 a.m. Saturday.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Str. Princess Elizabeth leaves Nanaimo for Vancouver daily except Sunday and at 5.45 a.m. Str. Princess Elizabeth will arrive Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. Str. Princess Elizabeth will arrive Nanaimo at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.30 and 8.30 p.m. Str. Princess Elizabeth and Str. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m.

NANAIMO-COMOX — Str. Joabella leaves Nanaimo for Comox and Refuge Cove, daily except Wednesday at 3 p.m. for Comox.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Str. Vashon will leave Sidney for Anacortes daily at 7.30 a.m. Str. Vashon will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1.30 p.m.

Bargain Fares to

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FROM VICTORIA

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Kamloops	8.30
Salmon Arm	9.90
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Kelowna	11.40
Penticton	9.20

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Good to day coach only.

Not good in parlor cars.

Tickets good on midnight steamer Thursday, May 15, and 8:00 a.m. express Friday May 16, connecting in Vancouver with 10:00 a.m. train.

Return limit, midnight May 18, 1941.

Return limit to leave destination not later than MONDAY, May 19, 1941.

See your ticket agent or write R. J. Borland, Gen. Agent, T.P., Victoria.

Canadian Pacific

MILL BAY FERRY STOPPED FOR ANNUAL REFIT

GULF ISLANDS CRUISE

Wednesday, May 7

Enjoy a delightful cruise through the Gulf Islands, stopping at the following ports of call

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* Stopovers optional. Passengers may remain aboard ship and continue cruise to Mayne Island.

Lunch and Tea available at any of the ports of call, or picnic lunches may be taken.

Parking space available at Swartz Bay

Buses leave Depot at 9 a.m. Ferry leaves Swartz Bay, at 10 a.m. Arrive back in Victoria about 7.30 p.m.

RETURN FARES (Bus and Ferry) $1.25 Ferry Only 75c

DAILY SAILINGS

DAILY EXCEPT WEDNESDAYS

Lv Fulford Harbor	Lv Swartz Bay
8.15 A.M.	9.30 A.M.
4.00 P.M.	5.00 P.M.

WEDNESDAYS ONLY — EFFECTIVE MAY 7

8.15 A.M.	9.00 P.M.

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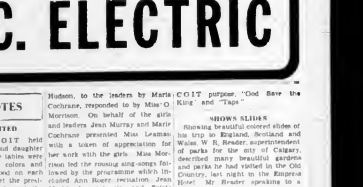
C.G.I.T. NOTES

OAK BAY UNITED

Oak Bay United C.G.I.T. held their annual mother and daughter banquet on Friday. The tables were decorated in the club colors and small C.G.I.T. dolls stood on each table. After the banquet the president, Jean Murray, welcomed the guests and mothers. The special guests included Dr. Kendrick Anderson, Rev. and Mrs. F. R. O. Dredge, Mrs. C. Hodges, Mrs. A. Cleave, Mrs. Grace Leaman, Mrs. S. Robson, Mrs. G. Manford, Mrs. A. Tucker and Mrs. O. Marshall. The toast to the King was proposed by Jean Murray, in the church by Miss B. Hopkins, and responded to by Rev. F. R. O. Dredge. In the numbers by Joan Bailey, to the daughters by Mrs. C. Hudson, to the leaders by Marie Cochrane, responded to by Miss G. Morrison. On behalf of the girls and leaders Jean Murray and Marie Cochrane presented Miss Leaman with a token of appreciation for her work with the girls. Miss Morrison led the rousing sing-along followed by the programme which included Ann Roerr recitation, Jean Markland vocal solo, and Betty Tillock, piano solo. The guest speaker, Dr. Anderson gave an interesting talk taking as her subject, "What Does the Citizen Mean to C.O.I.T. Girls." A candle-lighting ceremony in which both mothers and daughters took part followed. The girls taking leading parts were Jean Murray, Hazel Giles, Shirley Dean, Madlyn Foster, Marion Burnell and Betty McKinnon. The banquet closed with the repeating of the C.O.I.T. purpose, "God Save the King" and "Taps."

SHOWS SLIDES

Showing beautiful colored slides of his trip to England, Scotland and Wales, W. B. Reader, superintendent of parks for the city of Calgary, described many beautiful gardens and parks he had visited in the Old Country, last night in the Empress Hotel. Mr. Reader speaking to a large audience at garden enthusiasts, many of whom were visitors to Victoria during the Spring Garden Festival, began his lecture with pictures taken from the train crossing Canada, continuing with a number of fine views of the Atlantic crossing and his arrival in Scotland. The English Lake District, with artistic views of the natural beauty of an English countryside and many famous historic buildings, were subjects of special interest.



FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stocks Get Back On Even Keel On Wall Street

NEW YORK, May 3 (AP—Behind a vanguard of strong rails which established numerous 1941 highs, the stock market moved ahead sufficiently today to neutralize losses suffered earlier in the week.

The best gains among the more active issues ran a little over a point but steels generally failed to follow the upward trend and the great volume of buying developed.

The Associated Press average of sixty selected stocks gained 1.04 a point at 49.4. Turnover was 1,197,000 shares compared with 1,156,000 last Saturday.

New highs were established for the year by Nickel Plate (preferred), Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, American Can & Pounds (preferred), Shell Oil, Pure Oil and Sears Roebuck. Other gainers included Chicago Great Western, Douglas, Vertin Truck and Du Pont.

The rails were aided by reports of increasing sales of gasoline at higher prices. Rails dominated the bond market.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials 117.57, down .20

Twenty rails 28.38, up .37.

Fifteen utilities 17.35, up .05.

Total sales, 280,000

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	Close	Prev. Close
American Can		
American Tel. & Tel.		
Anaconda Copper		
Bethlehem Steel		
Chrysler		
Consolidated Edison		
Corn Products		
Douglas		
Du Pont		
Eastman Kodak		
General Electric		
General Motors		
Goodyear		
Int. Harvester		
Int. Nickel		
Int. Tel. & Tel.		
Kennecott Copper		
Montgomery Ward		
National Dairy		
National Distillers		
N.Y. Central		
Penney (J. C.)		
Pepsi-Cola		
Pure Oil		
Radio		
Reo		
Sears Roebuck		
Shell Union Oil		
Standard Brands		
Standard Oil (N.J.)		
Stone & Webster		
Texas Corporation		
Texas Gulf Sulphur		
Timken Roller Bearing		
Union Pacific		
U.S. Steel		
Vanadium		
Westinghouse		
Woolworth		
Yellow Truck & Coach		
Zenith		

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 3 (AP—Quotations in cents:
Official rates of Control Board in parentheses:
Great Britain, pound, 400 (400)
Canada, dollar, 90 (90)
Argentina, peso, official 29.8 (29.8)
Brazil, milreis, 6.05 (6.05)
Uruguay, peso, official 85.7 (85.7)
Mexico, peso, 20.5 (20.5)
Sweden, krona, 23.8 (23.8)
Norway, krona, 23.8 (23.8)
Denmark, krona, 21.8 (21.8)
Holland, guilder, 53.2 (53.2)
Belgium, belgas, 16.8 (16.8)
Switzerland, franc, 22.3 (22.3)
Italy, lira, 5.05 (5.05)
Germany, reichsmark, 40 (40)
Greece, drachma, 0.7 (0.7)
Portugal, escudo, 3.5 (3.5)
Spain, peseta, 23.8 (23.8)
Japan, yen, 23.8 (23.8)
Shanghai, yuan, 5.3 (5.3)
Hongkong, dollar, 23.8 (23.8)
Montreal, dollar, 90 (90)
Bombay, rupee, 30.2 (30.2)
Calcutta, rupee, 30.2 (30.2)
Melbourne, pound, 320 (320)
Sydney, pound, 320 (320)
Wellington, pound, 320 (320)
Free France, franc, 2.0 (2.0)

TRADING TRENDS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Nickel Plate				
Santa Fe				
Southern Pacific				
American Can & Pounds (pfd.)				
Shell Oil				
Pure Oil				
Sears Roebuck				
Chicago Great Western				
Douglas				
Vertin Truck				
Du Pont				
Steels				
Rails				
Utilities				
Bonds				

Toronto Stocks

MINING STOCKS
(Supplied by Greenshields & Co.)

	Bid	Ask
Blue Ridge		
Bralorne		
Bridge River Consolidated		
Cariboo Gold Quartz		
Central Patricia		
Chesbar		
Coniagas		
Dome		
Dome Extension		
Eldorado		
Gold Eagle		
Golden Star		
Hedley Mascot		
Hollinger		
Kerr-Addison		
Kirkland Lake		
Lake Shore		
McKenzie Red Lake		
McLeod Cockshutt		
McMarmac		
Newbec		
Noranda		
Pamour		
Porcupine Crown		
Porcupine Imperial		
Porcupine Peninsular		
Preston East Dome		
Sherlock-Michener		
Sladen Malartic		
Sudbury Contact		
Teck-Hughes		
Thompson-Cadillac		
Wasapika		
Wright-Hargreaves		
Yellowknife		

Montreal Stocks

	Bid	Ask
Abitibi Pfd.		
Aluminium Pfd.		
Bell Telephone		
Brazilian T. L. & P.		
Canadian Bank of Commerce		
Canadian Canners Pfd.		
Canadian Celanese Pfd.		
Canadian Cottons Pfd.		
Canadian Pacific		
Canadian Vickers Pfd.		
Consolidated Paper		
Dominion Bank		
Dominion Coal Pfd.		
Dominion Steel & Coal B		
Dominion Stores		
Dominion Textile		
Famous Players		
Foundation Co.		
Gatineau Power Pfd.		
General Steels Wares		
Goodyear Tire Pfd.		
Hamilton Bridge		
Hiram Walker		
Howard Smith Paper Pfd.		
Imperial Oil		
Imperial Tobacco		
Int. Nickel Pfd.		
Int. Paper & Power Pfd.		
Int. Paper & Power B		
Laurentide Paper		
Lake of the Woods		
Loblaws A		
Mackay		
Massey-Harris		
Molson's B		
National Breweries		
National Steel Car		
Ogilvie Flour Pfd.		
Penmans		
Power Corporation		
Quebec Power		
Shawinigan W. & P.		
Steel of Canada		
Toronto Elec. Pfd.		
Traders Finance		
Wabasso		
Winnipeg Electric Pfd.		
Wood, Vallance		

Dominion Bonds

	Bid	Ask
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She Loved a Spy

By SYLVIA TAYLOR

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CHAPTER XXV

There was a soft tapping upon the window. With a frightened gesture, Joan touched the shade and it flew to the top. She looked out into a white face. Karl Von Ritter was at the window.

It was Paul Sherman! Joan drew back and as she did so Paul's head appeared. Had Karl sent him to get her? She shrank against the wall of the kitchen, watching his pleading gesture for admittance. Then she saw that the window was unlocked. Paul could easily open it himself. He saw the change of expression on her face, and caught its meaning.

A moment later he was in the kitchen with the window locked behind him.

"What do you, want?" she asked defiantly.

"Don't be afraid, Joan! Everything's all right. I swear it."

"You can't fool me any longer—Joan said, moving into the living-room." I know you're all spies. Isn't that what you call them?"

Paul looked sharply at her. "Sit down," he ordered. "You look like a ghost. Have you any whisky?"

"There's some brandy in the kitchen," Joan said. Her teeth were chattering. She was shaking so she could scarcely talk.

Paul found the bottle and returned with it to the living-room. He held a small glass to her lips. "Drink this!" he commanded.

The sweet liquor burned her throat but it warmed her.

Paul was bending over the fireplace stirring the logs, adding paper and kindling until the fire glowed with a bright blaze.

She watched him in silence until he had finished.

"Now listen to me, Joan, and listen carefully."

Her green eyes regarded him with loathing. "Spies!" She spit out the words. "But you can't get away with it. You can't keep me from going to the police! You're very clever, aren't you? Talking against Karl while you're just as bad!"

Her voice had risen hysterically. "Be quiet!" Paul ordered. "Do you want Karl to come in here?"

"What do I care?" Tears streamed down the white face and she buried her face in her hands.

"Will you listen to me for one minute?" Paul Sherman said in a low voice.

She did not reply.

"My name is not Paul Sherman." She admitted. "What's that to me?"

He took her nervous hands and held them tightly in his own. "It's true I speak German. My grandmother was German. But I am Paul O'Malley, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation!"

Silence. The fire crackled and the rain poured against the windows.

"The FBI?" Joan repeated.

"That's right! We've suspected Karl Miller of subversive activities for a long time, but we haven't been able to get conclusive evidence. I still haven't got enough to convict him. He's too clever for that, though I believe he trusts me. One reason is that I speak his language."

"But why didn't you tell me? Why didn't you wait me?"

He smiled ruefully. "This is Government business, Joan. I'm risking my job in telling you. If Karl finds out who I am, you know what will happen. I had to pretend to agree with him tonight."

"You mean pretend to believe that I shot Eric?"

"That's it. Now Karl will be sure of me. He doesn't know that I am here now. I came ahead of you from the club and I've been waiting for you to come home."

Joan wiped her eyes. "I tried to telephone the police. The phone is disconnected."

Paul lit a cigarette. "I know. I did it myself. Karl's orders."

Joan shuddered and fresh tears filled her eyes. "Oh, what a fool I've been! But I loved him so much! I didn't know things like this really happened. I thought all the spy talk was just propaganda. What shall I do now? What can I do?"

"Do you know about Karl's wife?"

Color flooded her pale cheeks. "Yes. He told me tonight after you left the club. He seemed very amused by the whole situation."

"I wanted to tell you, Joan, but I didn't dare take the chance of Karl's finding out that I'd disobeyed him. You understand. This business is more important than either of us."

Suddenly Joan rose crying. 'And Still! Paul, Still's not here! She left a note saying that something terrible had happened. . . . I am afraid! Karl . . ."

Paul glanced at his watch. "Almost 1 o'clock."

"Paul," she seized his arm. "Do you think Karl would . . ."

He shook his head. "I don't know. I don't honestly know. But I have a plan. Listen carefully . . ."

(To Be Continued)

Shows Films of Pre-War Europe

Films showing the life and many civic and country scenes of European countries in the pre-war era were shown by Herbert J. Prothy at the Fairfield United Church Friday night.

A large turnout saw the films, which were of both colored and black and white types, illustrating scenes of cities and people in the Balkan districts, Turkey, Egypt, Denmark, parts of Germany and The Netherlands.

A parent at Athens was filmed, as were scenes from Belgrade, Budapest, Vienna, Rotterdam and The Hague. The operator indicated that the films were valuable in that they preserved the glory of these cities as they were before the advent of the war.

Also shown during the evening was a reel of comedy for the benefit of the children in the audience.

Food Body of Yours

JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

TWO VERY NECESSARY VITAMINS MUST BE EATEN EVERY DAY

During the last war (1914-18) vitamins were in their infancy and little was known of their action. I asked the chemist in charge of our hospital laboratory what was the simplest way to explain the action of vitamins.

"Here is a good food that in the laboratory gives so many calories of food value and so many minerals for building purposes. However, when it is taken into the body and meets the various substances there, it does not give quite the same value of calories and minerals to the body. Perhaps only 60 per cent in all is obtainable. Another food eaten acts in a similar way, giving only 40 or 50 per cent if taken alone. But if taken with the other food they both give up more of their food and mineral value to the body. The vitamins act like a ship or stimulant in causing these two foods to do better work. Thus a mixture of the various foods, each containing one, two, three or even four of these vitamins would mean that all the foods were giving more nourishment to the body. Therefore, an all-round diet is necessary for a 'complete' diet."

It is because a diet is short of, or deficient in, certain vitamins that various symptoms arise and the diet is not suspected of being the cause. For example, a couple of raw carrots daily, because they are rich in vitamin A, can prevent night blindness. And daily helpings of beef, liver or bacon (vitamin B1) may restore a lost appetite.

Fortunately the daily diet of most individuals contains all the vitamins and in sufficient quantities for health. Unfortunately, some of us do not eat "enough" of certain foods to make sure of all the vitamins. There are two vitamins, vitamin D and vitamin B1 that are deficient in many diets.

Vitamin D is found only in a few foodstuffs—butter, yolk of egg, and liver. As it is found in large quantities in cod liver oil, it can be seen why so much cod liver oil is prescribed by physicians during cold and cloudy weather when there is least sunshine.

Vitamin B1 is the other vitamin not eaten in sufficient quantities by many of us. Unfortunately the body does not store this vitamin; it must be eaten daily. Foods rich in vitamin B1 are ham, bacon, beef, liver, peanuts, malted milk, whole wheat bread, asparagus, carrots, prunes and spinach.

It is important then, to make sure of eating foods containing these two vitamins—D and B1—every day.

GIVEN POLICE POST

REGINA, May 3 (CP) — Inspector H. Darling, who joined the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in 1913, has been appointed head of the criminal investigation bureau of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Saskatchewan. He succeeds Superintendent L. H. Nicholson, who resigned his commission in the force to go on active service.

FLYIN' JENNY

Nugget Holds Ace

By Russell Keaton

MUTT AND JEFF

Well, If Jeff Can't Play It, He Can Smoke It

By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

By Dale Allen

SUPERMAN

Candidate for a Casket

By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

POPEYE

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

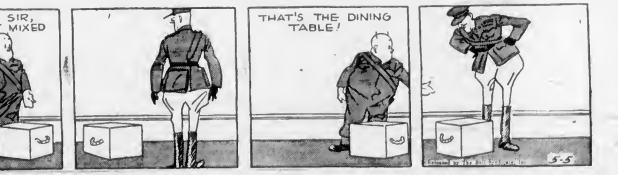
By Fred Neher

"If you've ever bought anything on the installment plan you'll understand my not answering the door when you first rang, Reverend Marshall."

POP

What? No Name Cards?

By J. Millar Watt



BLONDIE

Heavy Tax on the Water System

By Chic Young

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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Two cents a word each insertion (one cents a word a week with a minimum of ten words) cash with order. Minimum charge for any classified insertion is 10 cents.

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BIRTHS

MARLOW—On April 27, 1941, to Private Patricia Marlow (nee Patricia Mac-Donald), wife of Pte. Jack Marlow, R.C.A.F., a son, Ronald Jack Marlow, Pat and Mac Marlow (the Catterine Mac-Donald of Victoria B.C.) a son, Ronald Wilfred.

LAYTON—At St. Joseph's Hospital, April 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Layton (nee Mildred Young), 16 Old Cook Street, a son, Michael Ivan.

DEATHS

McNEILL—On May 2, 1941, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Martin McNeill, late of Cowichan Bay, aged 71 years. Funeral Notice later. Mr. Martin McNeill, who died in this city Friday morning, passed away after a short illness. He was born in Ireland, and came to Canada in 1887. Mr. McNeill, of Sidney, Cape Scott and Cowichan Bay, was a member of the Pioneer Society of Cowichan Bay, and a member of B.C. Funeral Chapel, at 8.30 a.m

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

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(Continued)

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TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, SUITE, kitchen, bathroom, 2-5 minutes to town. 1-7 McLeod Street.

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FURNISHED BEDROOM, KITCHEN privilege. 1-7 Cormorant.

50 UNFURNISHED

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51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

FURNISHED

ATTRACTIVE, CLEAN, COMFORTABLE bachelor housekeeping rooms. Phone 6-3365.

ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED ROOM for rent, suitable for one or two, use of hot water, modern. 1-7 McLeod.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, SUITABLE for one or two, 1-7 Cormorant.

ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED ROOM, suitable for one or two, 1-7 Cormorant.

BRIGHT FRONT ROOM, LIGHT HOUSEkeeping, suit one or two, 1-7 Cormorant.

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THE FERNWOOD, 1-7 OAK BAY AVENUE—Modern housekeeping rooms, reasonable rates.

TWO ROOMS, FURNISHED,

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

4 ACRES, TITLE - 164 ACRES - BUSH and timber, 1 mile from Duncan, 3 miles from Mill, $1,000 cash. BOX 1 Duncan Apartments

$125 CEDAR HILL DISTRICT — 2 acres, 2 blocks from main street, $125 cash. Phone 6 Duncan

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$100 SAANICH INLET — 5 ACRES — bush, water, 1 mile from schools, bargain. Phone 6 Duncan

VENUSTRAD REALTY
1014 Broad St. Phone G 7164

83 WANTED ACREAGE

WANTED ABOUT 1 ACRE RURAL BUSINESS CORNER — Must have water. Box 1 (Sat.)

84 FARMS FOR SALE

OWNER — 3 Acres, approximately 2, acres cleared, 175 acres in second growth timber, 1 mile from Sooke, 1 mile to school and shops, 1 mile to Sooke Lake, 2 miles from Sooke and Jordan River, 1 mile from Sooke Consolidated School District, 1 mile from Sooke Lake, 2 miles from Sooke. The land is level, including foreshore & spring fresh water. Price $1,500 cash. Terms arranged. Apply Box 1 (Sat.)

The Mark Ranch Imported a Mink
Attention Little Property

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO. LTD.
1218 Broad St. Phone G 1141

86 FARMS FOR RENT

ROOM BUNGALOW WITH OUTBUILDINGS and fruit trees. Apply Bulkley Bros. Sooke.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Ida Maccoby Rosenberg, late of 1010 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., Married Lady, Retired, Formerly Nightwear on the 1st day of August, 1940, are hereby notified to send to the undersigned Executor duly verified particulars of their claims to the Administrator, Victoria Trust Company, Limited, Victoria, B.C., on or before the 10th day of May, 1941, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard only to claims of which it shall then have notice.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 1st day of May, A.D., 1941.

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404-605 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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WATERFRONT HOME
Brick bungalow, 2 miles from town, 1 acre, 2 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, bathroom, 1 acre, 1 acre in fruit trees, 1 acre in vegetables, 1 acre in lawn, 1 acre in bush, 1 acre in pasture, 1 acre in garden

Kiwanis Craft Shop Is Filling Important Place in Community

Headquarters of Association Moved From Fairfield Road to Fine, Large Premises Two Blocks Off Street—Fort Street Store Closed

EXPANDING their useful work is the interest of those suffering and convalescing from tuberculosis, the Kiwanis Craft Association has recently taken up headquarters in the former Verson Villa on Humboldt Street. The spacious building, formerly utilized as the T.B. annex of St. Joseph's Hospital, is ideally suited for the humanitarian work sponsored by the Victoria Kiwanis Club.

Just over two months ago, the association moved from its present workshop on Fairfield Road and closed the Craft Shop on Fort Street, where articles made by the workers were sold. The change was not only to cut down the overhead expenses, but also because more orders for goods were being received during the workshop than through the sales shop itself.

Miss E. Cooney, the capable instructor at the workshop, came to Victoria last May to take charge. She has specialized in the construction, designing of all types and sizes, on occasion, from a stove and operates the wood-turning lathe, the circular sanding machine or wields a paint brush. The different articles that the convalescents produce under her direction are so varied that they almost defy enumeration.

FOR MEN AND WOMEN

There are all the necessaries for midday's new Summer out—fancy leather belts, buckles, wallets and leather jewelry, novel and beautiful leather flowers, attractive hand bags, handbags and gloves, novel belts and aprons, beach accessories for men and women, sandals, embroidered beach chairs and tables, rattle tables, novelties for the children, money belts, brooches and knick-knacks, sugar tongs, bread cloths, pictures for the nursery, aluminum-leather bellows and nine-pins, parlor games, etc. If the reader can describe his or her requirement, the craft shop will do its utmost to fill the order.

There are six main rooms on the ground floor, the display room of late, carpenter shop, paint shop, leathercraft shop and kitchen. Bedroom rooms are used for storing the lumber and stocks of leather, etc.

It is planned to furnish the rooms upstairs for the men and two for the women, where their meals are served during the day. Naturally, those convalescing from tuberculosis, only work but a few hours a day. A central heating system guarantees an even temperature. A committee room will also be furnished upstairs.

The workshop is financed largely from the sale of "Christmas seals," adapted annually by the Kiwanians under the chairmanship of Charles Pangman. Profits from the sale of articles also helps to maintain the shop, but a certain percentage of this sum is paid to those who make the goods. Proceeds from the sale of seals brought the wood lathe, circular sander and jigsaw.

PREDOMINANCE OF MEN

There is an average of thirteen workers in the shop daily, less than one-fourth of them women. Among thirteen, one have been discharged but are unable to return to their former occupations take Provincial Government educational courses, at home.

There are twenty-one craft workers in the Kiwanis villa and the Justice Essential Fashion and many of these also take the educational correspondence courses. They are assisted in their studies by Miss Conley. The most popular courses are in bookkeeping shorthand and typewriting, radio work and practical carpentry.

Textbooks are supplied by the Kiwanis Club and when the students "graduate" the books are added to the library at the craft shop.

Not only does the craft shop help the convalescents in a small financial way, but it is considered a definite part of their treatment as it keeps them busy and fills those hours with the enjoyment and satisfaction of a hobby. In some cases those also have fully recovered from the disease find that the training they received has fitted them for a place in the labor market.

MAKING GOOD

Two young men who spent a year in the workshop went to Vancouver on their discharge and opened a small store there. Gradually they expanded and now operate a wholesale leather business supplying much of the leather to their firm, who since the English tanners have been cut off use a source of supply nearer the start of the war.

A young lady who commenced a bookkeeping course and was able to work an hour or so a day will shortly take a full-time position as an experienced bookkeeper.

C. E. Watkins is chairman of the Kiwanis Club committee which administers the shop, and Dr. F. Kincaid is medical director. The placement committee which considers the applications and discharges of all patients is under the chairmanship of Magistrate Henry C. Hall, and Frank Jordan is chairman of the finance committee.

Play Active Role in Kiwanis Work

Shown above are officials of the Kiwanis Crafts Association Workshop, which was recently moved to the former Verson Villa, Humboldt Street. Those in the top picture are, left to right, Dr. F. Kincaid, medical director; C. E. Watkins, president of Victoria Kiwanis Craft Association; Miss E. Conkey, director of the shop; Miss Hazel A. Hart, assistant secretary of the Canadian Tuberculosis Association, from the East, and Charles Pangman, chairman of the Kiwanis T.B. Christmas Seal campaign. The lower picture, taken by The Colonist photographer, shows some of the men and women at work in the weaving and leathercraft room.

Mrs. Jacobs To Address Group Here

Mrs. J. Rose, Victoria representative of the Council of Jewish Women, has announced today that Mrs. B. W. Jacobs, of Montreal, president of the Canadian division, will address the local Jewish women at the home of Mrs. Rose, tomorrow.

Mrs. Jacobs is on a tour of all the sections in Canada, to discuss with the women of Victoria the national war project of the council in Canada. She will also give a report on the Dominion convention held recently in New York and its effect on the work and goals of the Canadian division.

Educated as the Southern Home School and Gourtier College, in Baltimore, Mrs. Jacobs was a member of the National Council of Jewish Women. Before coming here she married a member of Parliament, founded the Montreal section twenty-three years ago. As president of the Montreal section during the first seven years, and later as its honorary president, Mrs. Jacobs is thoroughly experienced in every phase of council work.

As the wife of an M.P. for twenty-one years, she had the opportunity to know Canada and Canadian problems from every angle. She is a member of the board of the National Council of Jewish Women in the United States, president of the National Council of Canada, former vice-president of the Women's Liberal Organization of Canada, representing Quebec, a member of the executive of the Canadian Jewish Congress War Effort Committee, of the National Co-ordinating Committee of the United Jewish Refugee and War Relief Agencies, of the Palm Establishment Committee of the same group and the Young Women's Hebrew Association.

Thoroughly aware of the national and local problems affecting the Jewish people of Canada, Mrs. Jacobs is a vivid speaker and conveys to her work as president of the Canadian division. In her tour of Canada Mrs. Jacobs will hold together the sections of the council through her joint efforts towards Canada's war work and council work of investigation and research into an effective national body.

Women's Institutes

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

A good attendance was recorded at the Shawnigan Lake Women's Institute held on Thursday afternoon at the I.O.D.E. Hall, with the president, Mrs. G. Orr, in the chair. Mrs. Orr, Mrs. W. Maitland-Dougall and Mrs. Ker were appointed delegates to a forthcoming sports tea dance. Mrs. F. M. Osmond, Mrs. M. E. Kinloch and Mrs. Maitland were appointed a committee to prepare a resolution to be sent to the provincial institutes convention, and to all institutes seeking stricter quarantine for Scotch. A satisfactory report was received at the recent telephone card party, as reported by Mrs. A. Lomas, convener. Convener, Crib-bage, bingo and five hundred had been arranged and home had kindly been loaned by Mrs. Kinloch, Mrs. W. F. Pratt, Mrs. W. Ed. Dick, Mrs. J. Fry, Mrs. A. Bafton and Mrs. Hilton. Winners at cards were Cribbage Mrs. Orr and Mr. C. Pybridge; Mrs. E. Osmond and Mr. A. Lomas; five hundred, Mrs. F. M. Osmond and Mr. T. Wilkinson. Mrs. Kinloch gave a report of the recent twenty-first annual meeting of the Cowichan Health Centre at Duncan. A handkerchief quilt, made by the members, was displayed before the guests in the Bulgarian for Bulgarian depot. Arrangements were made for the raising of money for a wool-filled comforter to be made by the members and used to raise funds for the institute's war efforts. It was decided to send more parcels to Bulgarian prisoners of war. Refreshments were provided by the hostess, Mrs. Kinloch, assisted by Mrs. Osmond and Mrs. Wong.

LAKE HILL

The Lake Hill Institute will meet tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. in the Community Hall. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Sunday's Programme

(This listing is extensive as compiled by the various broadcasting companies and is subject to change.)

8:00 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR, Overseas Service—KGO).
8:15 P.M.—Bulletin (CBR).
8:30 P.M.—Bureau Bugleboys (CJOR).
8:45 P.M.—Bureau Bugleboys (CJOR).
9:00 A.M.—Christian Science (CBR).
9:15 A.M.—Bureau Bugleboys (CJOR).
9:30 A.M.—Bureau Bugleboys (CJOR).
9:45 A.M.—Bureau Bugleboys (CJOR).
10:00 A.M.—Bureau of Bess (CBR).
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11:45 A.M.—Bureau of Bess (CBR).
12:00 Noon—B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR, CJOR).
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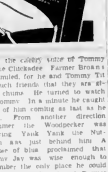

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Little Stories for Bedtime

Thankfulness in the Old Orchard

—By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Farmer Brown's boy was up and not early that morning after the sun shone. It was a very, very beautiful world that greeted him as he opened the door and looked out at the Old Orchard said across to the Green Forest. Unlike Welcome and Mrs. Robin and others he could see the beauty of it. He drew a long breath of the clear cold air and a little shining eye he watched the millions of sparkling diamonds made by the Jolly Little Sunbeams as they touched the ice-covered twigs and grasses and even those that which covered the snow on the ground. Wherever they touched there was a flash as if from a real diamond.

But it was only for a few minutes that Farmer Brown's boy stood so long in admiration of the frosty scene. Then a shadow clouded his face. "This is beautiful for me, thought he. "But it is terrible for a lot of my friends. It means death and nothing less to a lot of them unless something is done for them. I do hope that Bob White and his family and Mrs. Grouse and her family know enough not to burrow down in the snow last night. If they did do that they are likely to be prisoners under this hard iron and will starve to death. Tommy Tit and Drummer the Woodpecker and some of the others built to be up here active and there isn't a thing for them to eat. That set that I put out for them is so covered with ice that they can't get at it. I must get busy right away. I rather suspect we shall have quite a party in the Old Orchard this morning, a sort of thanksgiving party in the middle of Winter.

He went into the house for a few minutes. When he came out he went straight to the Old Orchard and out there at the very beginning of Winter as a feeding shelter especially for the birds.

Hardly was his back turned as he returned to the house when he heard the cheery voice of Tommy Tit the Chickadee. Farmer Brown's boy smiled for he and Tommy Tit are such friends that they are almost chums. He turned to watch for Tommy. In a minute he caught sight of him coming as fast as he could. From another direction Drummer the Woodpecker was hurrying. Yank Yank the Nuthatch was just behind him. A glimpse of blue proclaimed that Sammy Jay was wise enough to remember the only place he could be sure of something to eat. Farmer Brown's boy smiled again and then hurried to the house for his own breakfast.

So it was that when Welcome and Mrs. Robin weak and shivering, reached the Old Orchard they found a thanksgiving party already there and more coming. Dotty the Tree Sparrow and Blaney the Junco had joined the others. So had Chickaree the Gold Finch. Welcome Robin and Mr. Robin, who drew near the place while the others were so busy. Then with a little cry of relief and hope and thankfulness they hurried to join in the feast spread for them.

What did I tell you? cried Tommy Tit as he flung to the piece of suet in the apple tree and looked down at Welcome Robin with twinkling eyes.

But Welcome was too busy to make reply just then.

Next story: Farmer Brown's Boy Discovers the Robins.

—Released by The Associated Newspapers

Farmer Brown's boy smiled again and hurried to the house for his own breakfast

CHINESE PLAN LARGE REWARD

Offer $2,000 in Connection With Axe Slaying of Tim Kee on Friday

A reward of $2,000 was posted yesterday by members of the Part Coun- [illegible] information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who murdered Doug Wing, also known as Tim Kee, on his premises at 1813 Government Street early Friday morning.

Kee was found lying unconscious on the floor of his bedroom with seven deep cuts on his head, and died in the Royal Jubilee Hospital at 9 40 o'clock. A blood-stained axe used to inflict the fatal wounds was noticed on the kitchen floor.

Detectives under Chief J. A. McLellan and Inspector J. H. Rogers were joined in the manhunt on Friday by Inspector J. F. C. Vance, noted criminologist attached to the Vancouver police department.

Inspector Vance left for Vancouver last night with a large number of exhibits secured at the scene of the murder and a vacant lot at the rear fronting on Pingard Street. He was assisted by Detective Thomas Donaldson, fingerprint expert of the city police department.

"I expect there will be further developments after I have examined the exhibits in my laboratory," Inspector Vance declared.

Military Activities

5TH (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A. (R.P.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. J. C. Harris, V.D. Officer Commanding 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A. (R.P.).

Duties for week ending 10-5-41: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. A. E. Priske; orderly sergeant, A.-Sgt. T. Smith.

Parades — Wednesday, May 7, Woolen Mills, 14 30 hours. Thursday, May 8, Woolen Mills, 20 00 hours; Saturday, May 10, in foots, 14 30 hours. For Thursday's parade the brigade will proceed to Macdonald Park for battery and ceremonial drill. The band will attend.

Saturday Parades—In future all other racks not specially detailed for training at the forts will train at their headquarters at 14 30 hours.

Classification or Signallers—The annual classification of signallers will take place at the Woolen Mills Building at 20 00 hours on Thursday, May 8, 1941.

Court of Inquiry — A court of inquiry will assemble at the end of the parade to inquire into the loss of kits belonging to the undermentioned other ranks: K413965 (Gnr.) P. Barnard, 5th Battery; K413095 J. W. McCoy, 5th Battery. President, Capt. H. L. Robinson; members, Lieut. R. L. Challoner, M.C., and 2nd Lieut. A. C. Beach, M.M. Proceedings in triplicate will be forwarded to brigade orderly room on completion.

Extract from D.R.O. No. 413, dated April 30, 1941, communication of military information—(a) On several occasions recently, letters have appeared in the press over the signature of officers and soldiers, [illegible] that is contrary to K.R. (Army) No. 433, which must be complied with.

Recruiting—Recruits are required for 1st Vancouver Anti-Tank Regiment, interested in signalling with a view to wireless communication will be accepted.

Return of Publications, on Loan—Publications on loan from the brigade will be returned immediately to brigade orderly room.

P. T. STERN, Major and Adjt., 5th (B.C.) Coast Bde., R.C.A. (R.P.)

1st SEARCHLIGHT BATTERY, R.C.A. (R.P.), VICTORIA TROOP

Orders for week ending May 11, 1941, by Lt.-Col. E. B. Weatherby, Commanding Officer, 1st Searchlight Regiment, R.C.A. (R.P.).

Duties—Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. R. A. B. Wootton; orderly sergeant, L.-Sgt. A. S. MacBride.

Parades—Tuesday, May 6, 18 45 hours, as detailed. Thursday, May 8, 1945 hours, musketry detail at Bay Street Armoury. Friday, May 9, 19 45 hours, troop parade at Woolen Mills, training as per syllabus.

Recruits—Recruits are needed to fill up a few vacancies in this regiment. Men with electrical and mechanical training preferred.

Change of Command, 1st Searchlight Battery—Major A. P. Brunetti, M.C., to be Acting 2nd in Command, 1st Searchlight Regiment; Capt. A. A. Ransom to be Officer Commanding, 1st Searchlight Battery.

Orderly room, telephone E 2724.

A. A. RANSOM,
Capt., for Lt.-Col. E. B. Weatherby, Commanding Officer, 1st Searchlight Battery, R.C.A. (R.P.)

3rd BATTALION, THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (R.P.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. P. B. J. Stephenson, Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R.P.).

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending May 10, 1941, 2nd Lieut. C. E. Brown; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. J. R. Hall. Orderly sergeant for week ending May 10, 1941, K79355 A-Sergt. W. H. Newcombe. Orderly corporal for week ending May 10, 1941, K41845 L-Cpl. H. Holt.

Parades—Monday, May 5, 1941, Companies will parade at Armadale at 19 30 hours. Training as per syllabus. Wednesday, May 7, 1941, Companies will parade at Armadale at 19 30 hours. Training as per syllabus.

F. H. M. COOVILLE,
Major and Bde. Lieut.-Col., 2nd in Command for Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R.P.)

134th INFANTRY RESERVE LOYALTY GUARD OF CANADA (R.P.)

Orders by Capt. J. A. Dewar, Officer Commanding 134th Infantry Reserve Company, Veterans Guard of Canada (R.P.).

Duties—Orderly officers for week ending May 10, 1941, 2nd Lieut. L. Glazer; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. A. L. Moore. Orderly sergeant for week ending May 10, 1941, K303002 A-Sergt. L. G. Scott; next for duty, K303004 A-Cpl. J. Neary.

Parades—Wednesday, May 7, 1941, Company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 18 45 hours. Training as per syllabus. Friday, May 9, 1941, Company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 18 45 hours. Training as per syllabus.

F. H. M. COOVILLE,
Major and Bde. Lieut.-Col. 2nd in Command for Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R.P.)

No. 13 FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C. (R.P.)

Orders for week commencing May 4, 1941, by Lieut.-Col. F. H. W. Elkington, officer commanding.

N.C.O. Cadre—No. 3 will parade at the Woolen Mills at 20 00 hours on Tuesday, May 6, 1941, and Friday, May 9, 1941. Dress drill order.

Recruiting—Recruiting for this unit has now been authorized to replace other men, who have enlisted for service with the active forces. Men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years are required to bring this unit up to home war establishment. Anyone interested in this branch of the service, which provides opportunity to qualify in Army Service Corps work, communicate with the Orderly Room at the Woolen Mills or phone E 6851.

H. A. HANSON,
Captain, for Major Officer Commanding 5th Divisional Supply Column, R.C.A.S.C., C.A. (R.P.).

NO. 7 REGIMENT, 5th DIVISIONAL SUPPLY COLUMN, R.C.A.S.C. (R.P.)

Orders by Capt. H. A. Hanson for Major T. B. Williamson, Officer Commanding 5th Divisional Supply Column, R.C.A.S.C., C.A. (R.P.).

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending Saturday, May 10, 1941, Lieut. W. M. Skillings. Orderly sergeant for week ending Saturday, May 10, 1941, K332182 A-Cpl. H. C. Stone; next for duty, K332004 A-Cpl. W. E. Lewis. Orderly corporal for week ending Saturday, May 10, 1941, K331127 A-Cpl. R. J. MacKay; next for duty, K332168 A-Cpl. T. Vickers. Range officer for week ending Saturday, May 10, 1941, Lieut. W. H. Skillings. Range sergeant for week ending Saturday, May 10, 1941, K332003 A-Sergt. H. M. Rader; next for duty, K332001 A-Sergt. R. C. Rossiter.

Parades—Tuesday, May 6, 1941, Unit will parade at the Woolen Mills at 18 45 hours. Dress, skeleton order. Friday, May 9, 1941, Sections and E. sections will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 18 30 hours for intramural range competition. Dress, drill order. No. 2 N.C.O. Class will parade at Woolen Mills at 18 00 hours. Bring lunches. Dress, skeleton order.

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Captain, for Major Officer Commanding 5th Divisional Supply Column, R.C.A.S.C., C.A. (R.P.).

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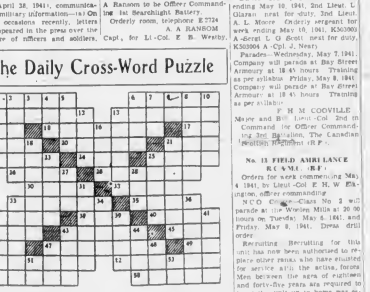
Toughen Up at Singapore

Troops of the Australian Imperial forces and the Argyll and Sutherland Regiment, famous Scottish contingent, now in Singapore, are shown undergoing manoeuvres after their arrival in Malaya. At the top, an officer receiving Australian radio silk is shown in operation, with an officer receiving and dispatching messages. At the bottom, the Scottish infantrymen, holding on to a rope strung across a Malayan river, cautiously proceed to the other side.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

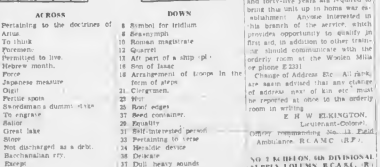


ACROSS

1 Pertaining to the doctrines of Arius
6 To think
11 Foreman
12 Permitted to live.
14 Heavy month.
15 Pierce
17 Japanese measure
18 Ogle
19 Petite spots
21 Swordman's dummy stake
23 To engrave
24 Sailor
25 Great lake
28 Slope
30 Not discharged as a debt.
32 Bacchanalian cry.
33 Escape
35 Guaranty.
36 Remainder.
37 Implement.
38 Unit
40 To check
42 Female fowl.
43 Sailpiece
45 Nahum godg
50 To assimilate
52 Drive bitter
54 Natives of Great Britain
55 Approaches.

DOWN

1. To diminish.
2. Mechanical men
3. Exists
4. Riddle mollusk
5. Juicy Verne character
6. Literary work.
7. Dance step
8. Symbol for iridium
9. Eye-cloth
10. Roman magistrate
12. Quartet
13. Art part of a ship (pl.)
16. Son of Isaac
20. Arrangement of troops in the form of plays
21. Clergymen.
22. Hot
26. Road edges
27. Bend connective.
29. Equality
31. Brief important period
33. Pertaining to verse
34. Metallic device
36. Delayed
37. Dull heavy sounds
39. Eagles.
41. Servant-girls
43. Cape
44. Short jacket
47. Tie weak
48. To fertilize
51. To depart.
53. Far goal



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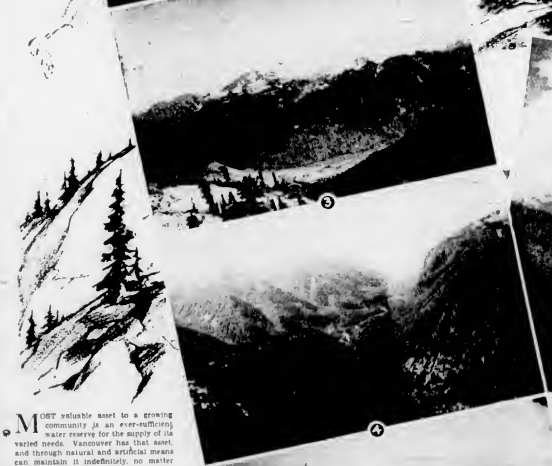
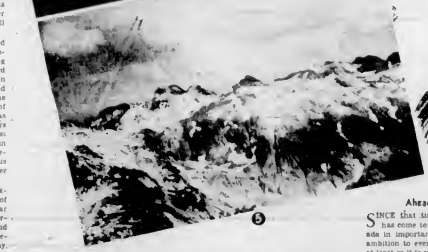
LOOKING FORWARD

By F. M. KELLEY





1—Close-up of The Lions from the northeast. The west Lion is the higher peak

2—Looking north, headwaters of Seymour Creek, Lock Lomond in foreground

3—Looking east from The Lions. Left to right, Cathedral Mountain, Mount White and Mount Seymour

4—Looking south Seymour Creek. Left to right, Mount Bishop, Mount Seymour and Mount Elder, the latter named after Vancouver's ex-mayor, L. D. Taylor

5—At the headwaters of the Capilano watershed

6—Looking up Capilano Creek from Crown Mountain

7—Close-up of Cathedral Mountain, south side. Burwell Lake in foreground

MOST valuable asset to a growing community is an ever-sufficient water reserve for the supply of its varied needs. Vancouver has that asset, and through natural and artificial means can maintain it indefinitely, no matter how great the demands of population will undoubtedly be as time marches on.

While appreciating the proximity and perennial loveliness of the mountains rising in rounded ridges and challenging peaks beyond the north shore of Burrard Inlet, it is not at all likely, even when they lifted up their eyes unto the hills and thrilled to the magic and beauty of the Creator's handiwork, that the pioneers of Granville, or Gastown, as Vancouver was probably better known in the early years of its history, ever gave a single first thought to what the area might mean in connection with the most vital requirement for even a moderately ambitious community—a pure and adequate water supply.

Those early pioneers can readily be excused for not having any rosy dreams of community expansion at that particular time; for in the days of Gastown lumbering was its main source of sustenance and the Canadian Pacific Railway, really responsible for the virile city that is today, was at least an unknown quantity as far as the whole of Western Canada was concerned and of not much import in the country east of the Great Lakes.

It was not until the incorporation of the city of Vancouver in 1886 and the arrival of the first trains from beyond the Rockies that the hills of the north shore really became of economic interest to the fathers of the young city experiencing its first growing pains. By that time there was plenty of optimism on the part of the men who had harnessed their destinies to Vancouver. Visionaries they saw something of utility as well as beauty across their magnificent harbor and looking forward with faith took the necessary steps to procure and secure a supply of the splendid water rushing down to the sea through the gorges of the Capilano, a supply such as few expanding cities are fortunate enough to be favored with.

Ahead of Progress

SINCE that time and while Vancouver has come to be the third city of Canada in importance and possesses enough ambition to even become second to none at least so it is spoken, the development of the water resources in the hills across the inlet has always been several steps ahead of city progress, the plans worked out by the Greater Vancouver Board under the direction of E. A. Cleveland, chief commissioner of the Greater Vancouver Water District, assuring a bountiful supply of the vital commodity no matter how quickly the several communities centring on Vancouver Harbor and depending upon it may expand.

Steadily looking forward and following the first steps taken to conserve the waters draining from the mountains into Capilano Creek, Vancouver city subsequently added the watershed of Seymour Creek to its source of supply, while North Vancouver, in the meantime, took unto itself the drainage of Lynn Creek, and West Vancouver that of the waters coming from behind Hollyburn Ridge. Negotiations already under way will probably place all these different water sources under the control of the Greater Vancouver Water Board, following the decision of New Westminster city to put the administration of the Coquitlam watershed, from which it derives its supply, in with the Greater Vancouver Board. This will undoubtedly make for greater efficiency and the handling of the whole proposition to better economic advantage.

Naturally in carrying out the plans for assuring a continuous and never-failing supply of water for the communities of the Lower Mainland, as excellent as the area might prove to be in the matter of natural drainage and accumulation, considerable work has had to be carried out, and will be continued as time goes on and requirements demand, to take advantage of the seasonal precipitations and melting of snows, which means the extension of natural reservoirs with artificial walls to hold reserves of water as well as the building of intakes and outlets to distribute the water to lower levels as the system of natural and man-made lakes threaten to overflow, owing to excessive rainfall or the warm rays of the ice and snow-melting sun.

Careful Planning

IMPORTANT as the work which has been accomplished in the mountains across

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Something for Nothing

By Dorothy Sanburn Phillips

AFTER Lora had caused the sign "Faraday 5 Miles" she further set the concrete and stopped the car. She wished to repair her make-up and the waves of her golden hair before she drove into town.

She did not want to appear at Tom's and Genie's door looking like a bedraggled poor relation. The news of her husband's death had probably reached Farraday, but it was doubtful if anyone knew that he had died practically bankrupt. Anyway, it would never occur to anyone that the fortune which her father had amassed and left her was not still intact.

Her panic had passed, that panic which had seized her when she realized that she had no money, no friends, nothing in New York to fall back upon, and which had made her give up her apartment. Her confidence in herself and her future had come back. Tom and Genie would help her. Tom, who had started out as an ordinary clerk in Faraday's one department store, had evidently done well.

They were not, strictly speaking, relatives. Genie—short for Eugenia—was the daughter of Lora's uncle's wife by a former marriage. But, having been left an orphan with no family or money of her own, she had been taken in by Lora's parents.

Lora remembered how her father had blustered about it. "She's no kin of ours! Why should I waste my money——" But for once Lora's usually silent and submissive mother had stood up to him and insisted on bringing up Genie. She had also insisted that the shy, thin little girl should not wear Lora's old clothes or run up and down stairs on errands for Lora.

Once or twice Lora had had a twinge of jealousy when she went by the open door of her mother's room and saw her mother smiling at Genie, and Genie, usually quiet, talking gaily with her "Aunt Kim." But the feeling had quickly passed. Lora and her mother had never been close. Her mother had strange ideas about her having an allowance for spending money, about her studying hard, picking up her room.

"You've got to work to get anywhere in life," she said. "You can't have something for nothing."

Her father laughed at that "Nonsense! If you're pretty and smart you can have everything you want!" And he saw that Lora had what she wanted, and did what she wanted. And he was quite provoked to find that the only money her mother had—a fund which she had painstakingly saved from her household and personal allowance—she had left to Genie, for Genie's education.

As Lora carefully reddened her lips she wondered if Genie had changed. How could Tom have married that long-faced, lanky, dull girl?

Tom had been in love with Lora once. They had even been engaged. He was very attractive, she remembered—tall, broad-shouldered, gay. The few weeks of her engagement to him had been happy ones. Then some new man had come to town and when Tom was busy one evening she had gone out with him. Tom had been annoyed and she had been angry at his daring to criticize her. So she went out with the other man again. But Tom, instead of spending the evening miserable, repentant, had taken Genie to the movies.

SHE could still remember her shocked amazement when her mother told her: "You mean he took another girl out, when he's engaged to me!"

She paid no attention to her mother's mild "But you went out with another man," and in outraged anger broke her engagement.

Her mother had felt badly, for she approved of Tom, but her father had, as usual, backed up his daughter. "He's good enough for you, Lora"; and sent her to New York and than abroad.

There were many other men during the next few years, and gay times. Her father was right: if you were pretty and smart, you could have anything you wanted!

She went home once when her mother died; but when her father was taken fatally ill she was abroad, so she never went back to Faraday. She sold the house and cut loose from the town. She knew that Genie had gone to work and she laughed when she received an invitation to her wedding with Tom, then forgot it.

Other matters were claiming her attention. Her income, which she always spent lavishly, was slowly being reduced; she dipped into her principal, then remembering her father's advice—if you were smart you could get anything—she began dabbling in the stock market, then in a wild plunge to recoup her vanishing fortune, lost the bulk of it.

It was after that she married Arthur, a little, serious, old-appearing man, but with something rather lovable about him.

After she was married Lora was surprised to find that though he was very amenable about big things—he was anxious for a house in the suburbs and chiffonier, but at her request agreed to postpone both—in small things he was selfish.

It ended by Lora's leaving him. Arthur did not want a divorce. His paid her a big allowance so she kept his name.

Then came the news that Arthur was dying; and after his death, the still more startling news that he had died practically destitute.

The junior member of Arthur's law firm who told her was moved by her surprise and panic.

"Haven't you any relatives? Can't you go home?" he asked.

So here she was stopping her car in front of Tom's and Genie's house and hailing the little boy and girl playing on a few moments later Genie was running down the path. She had changed a great deal; she was still thin, but her face was fuller and her eyes were shining.

"Oh, Lora! How good to see you!"

"I happened to be near Faraday," began Lora, "so I——"

Genie threw her arms around her. "But you must make us a real visit! Junior, go and get Pete and tell him to bring in your Aunt Lora's bags." She slipped one arm through Lora's as they started up the path. With the other she drew the little girl nearer. "This is Emma. We named her for your mother. I'll never forget how good your mother was to me."

TOM'S welcome was as cordial as Genie's. "Stay as long as you can. We're tickled to death to have you."

Though he had grown a little stouter, he still had his young good looks, his easy manners and his charming smile. He was now manager of the store, evidently earning a good income.

Tom and Genie had many friends; there was much entertaining back and forth and an unstinted meal was always provided for Lora. Furthermore, Faraday now boasted a country club and Genie and Lora went there often for luncheon. Lora was in her element.

Of course there were a few things that could have been improved upon. She had to share a bathroom with the children. Then the breakfast hour was unreasonably early. After a few mornings, however, when she had straggled down to a deserted dining-room and Genie bringing in her coffee because Alice, the maid, was busy, she suggested, "Why don't you send a tray up to me?"

After this she lay in bed luxuriously, sipping her coffee and reading the morning paper.

At first the children were somewhat of a nuisance, full of questions and chatter, but after a few curt orders to "Let that alone" and "Run out and play," they stopped bothering her.

Then too, Alice, the maid, was none too pleasant when she brought up Lora's morning tray and one time, when Lora wanted a dress pressed to wear to a luncheon, she almost refused. But Genie interposed quickly, giving Alice a little smile. "You do the dress and I'll see to the children's dinner."

But in spite of these little details life was easy and pleasant for Lora until one morning when she suddenly realized that she needed a wave and a manicure and she hadn't the money.

To her request for a loan of ten dollars Genie acquiesced immediately, but as she gave Lora the crisp bill she remarked, "I suppose you sent your address to New York so they know where to forward your money?"

For a moment Lora hesitated, then she sat down suddenly in the nearest chair and covered her face with her hands.

"Oh, Genie! I haven't any money!"

Genie gasped. "But your father left a lot, and your husband was well off——"

"Father's money is all gone. I had bad advice about investments. And Arthur was well off but—oh, Genie, he wasn't the kind of man I thought he was! So selfish and inconsiderate! I did my best, but I couldn't stand it. I left him a year ago! And then—I don't know what or how he died—but there wasn't anything left for me!"

Genie put her arms around her. "Don't you worry, Lora," she said softly. "you've got us. I'll speak to Tom."

All the time Lora was at the hairdresser's her mind was full of pleasant visions. If Tom would only make her a liberal allowance——

But that, she found, was far from Tom's mind.

"Of course," he said, "we want you to feel that our home is your home. This is our slack season," he went on musingly. "We aren't taking anyone on just now. Besides the work is hard, standing on your feet all day——"

"It would be easier and more practical," put in Genie, "to take a commercial course. The business school I went to is just starting in Fall session."

"Of course we'll foot the bills," added Tom.

There was nothing Lora could do but give in.

NO more lying in bed! If she didn't get up when her alarm went off at seven-thirty, Genie came in and roused her. Genie almost fed her her breakfast, even got out her caf for her, until finally she arrived at her nine o'clock class, tired and disgruntled. She had never studied very much and she found it difficult, seemingly impossible to concentrate.

Once she fell asleep in class and the evening before, she jeted refusing to get up "I can't!" she moaned.

Genie leaned over, felt her forehead. "Of course if you're really sick—I'm no ogre, Lora," a little smile twinkled her serious eyes. "I just want to help you. And you won't get through the course if you cut classes."

Lora knew that Genie would stand there till she got up, so she stumbled out of bed.

That day one of her teachers warned her that her work was unsatisfactory and out of kindness kept her after school for some extra coaching. Lora arrived home late, tired and cross, to find Genie out, and when she sent little Em to the kitchen to ask Alice for a cup of tea, the little girl returned with word that "Alice is awful busy, and she was mad. She said Mommy hadn't left any orders to serve tea."

Anger swept over Lora. When she heard a car drive into the driveway. Tom was home early. She sank down on the living-room couch and burst into tears.

At the door the children met him, big-eyed. "Aunt Lora's crying. She doesn't feel well. And Alice wouldn't give her any tea. Mommy's away——"

"What's the matter, Lora? I'm sorry if Alice was rude. I'll have Genie speak to her."

"Oh, it isn't that, though I did want a cup of tea terribly! I'm so tired and—oh, Tom!" she raised her face and looked at him, her eyes piteous. "I just can't seem to do it, this shorthand business! I don't see how I can keep on! Please don't make me!"

"Why, of course you don't have to, if she lay still, pleasantly conscious of the bustle of the house.

Genie appeared presently with her tray. "Feeling better?"

Lora gave her a radiant smile. "Yes, much better."

"That's good" Genie laid the tray on the bed table and spoke in a serious tone. "Lora, I wish you'd try to remember to pick up your things in the bathroom. It isn't a very good example for the children."

For a second Lora was almost speechless, then she spoke, angered outraged. "Why, of course, but I should think Alice could do those things. If you're so afraid of overworking her, why don't you have another maid or a nurse for the children——"

"It isn't a question of the work," put in Genie quickly "Don't you see? It's—— She broke off quickly, gave a little sigh and turned away. At the door she stopped. "Oh, I forgot. Do you think you could get your own lunch today? I'm taking the children to their grandmother's for the day. I didn't know you'd be home and I promised Alice she could go downtown this noon."

BUT Lora had no intention of foraging for herself. As soon as Genie left with the children she drove downtown to the store. There she sent her name to Tom's office.

Soon they were seated opposite each other in a dim corner of the grillroom at the hotel. He leaned across the table, smiling at her. "Now, what's on your mind?"

But she did not smile back. Her big brown eyes fixed seriously on him, she announced that she was going away.

"I think I'd better. I don't want to be a nuisance——"

At that his smile faded. "Who said you were?"

"Why, nobody, exactly. I just gathered from something Genie said—oh, I know I'm not very neat. I've been spoiled, I guess," she smiled faintly. "There were always plenty of maids at home. And then when I was married, Arthur didn't want me to do a lot of housework——"

"You don't have to do housework in my house, either." Tom interrupted bruscquickly. "There was a little silence. Lora looked off across the room, her lovely profile turned to him.

"Well, haven't you, Tom?" She spoke in a low voice, "I can't help thinking I would have been much happier if——"

Again silence. Then Tom looked away quickly and rose. "Well, it's all settled. You'll stay on?"

"Yes, if you want me to."

"Of course I want you to."

"Shall I pay Genie for board or what,he said, Lora never knew. But after that her tray came up every morning; her clothes were hung up; if she wanted a dress pressed, it was pressed—whether by Genie or Alice she did not know or care.

So Lora stayed on, though she intended to go back to New York some day. She went sooner than she expected.

ONE Sunday Genie and Tom planned to go off on an all-day picnic, taking the children with them. But when the day dawned, little Em was sick

As they were discussing the matter in the living-room Junior volunteered the information that Em had sampled the berries on the shrubs in front of the house.

"Berries?" cried Genie, horrified. "On the shrubs? But I told you both——"

"I told her she shouldn't. They weren't good to eat. Don't you remember, Aunt Lora? You were reading on the porch."

Lora, who was not paying much attention to the question of the sick child, answered casually, "Why—yes—I was reading——"

"You mean—" Genie grabbed her by the shoulders and swung her around, peering into her face, "you mean you saw her eat those berries on the shrubs and you didn't tell her not to?"

Lora opened her brown eyes wide, as if Genie were a little crazy. "I was reading, Genie. I heard Junior speak to her and then I just didn't notice——"

"You sat there calmly and let her make herself sick—poison herself!"

"I didn't know," Lora's tones were angry, cutting, "that I was supposed to look after your children for you!"

Genie took a deep breath, staring at Lora, then she spoke, her voice quiet and controlled "No, of course you aren't. It was my mistake, expecting you to think of anyone but yourself or do anything for anyone but yourself. I've often wished, Lora, that your mother were alive to see Tom and me and the children and our home. But I'm glad she isn't here today to see the woman her daughter has become."

Lora gasped as if she had been struck. "How dare you speak to me like that? You're jealous—because Tom likes me and I like him——"

Without a word Genie turned and went out of the room. They heard her voice at the telephone calling the doctor

Lora swung around to Tom. "There! You see how she feels about me! Blamed me because Em is sick! Insulting me"

"Oh now, Lora," put in Tom soothingly. "Genie doesn't get upset when things anything the matter with the children. And—you know," he added with a little smile, "you might have thought a little and——"

"Oh," Lora sprang back. "you're against me too!" Her voice rose in sobs.

She ran out of the room and up the stairs, his voice following her. "Oh, Lora, please! I didn't mean——"

But she did not answer. She went into her room, got out her suitcases and started to pack. The time had come for her to leave. As for ready cash, Tom, she was sure, would help her out. But she must manage a talk with him alone

She heard the doctor come and go, heard Tom's voice in the hall. When she came out and started down the stairs with her bags, she expected he would hurry to meet her. But he was not there; only Junior and Alice, who helped her get her bags downstairs.

"Em's going to be all right," announced Junior. "The doctor said so, but Daddy had to go downtown to get some medicine."

Lora was seated at the wheel of her car when he drove into the driveway. He gave her one look, hurried into the house, with his package, then out again.

"Please don't go off like this, Lora! Genie will feel terrible and so will I! You haven't any home or any family of any money! What are you going to do?"

"I don't know. Perhaps you could give me some advice. I'd appreciate it." She waved a hand to the seat beside her. "Get in and we'll take a ride and talk."

"I'll go tell Genie." Again he hurried into the house.

This time when he came out he was a little red and flustered, but he smiled as her as he got into the car.

Presently they turned off on a country road, parked the car and sat in the shade of some tree.

"I've been thinking," Tom began. "I guess you're right. You'd better go to New York to look a while. Of course I'd like to help you out financially, if you'll let me."

"Oh, Tom! How good of you! I don't know what I'd do without you and your help and your——" She leaned forward, her face very close, her deep, tear-drenched eyes looking at him.

He stared back, bewildered. "I'm sure we can work out something. Now suppose you tell me what your idea is?"

SHE sat staring before her, her knees hunched, her shoulder leaning against his. "Well, I'd like to go back to New York and find a little apartment, just a wee place of my own where I can see my friends and have little teas and nibbles."

"But this apartment," he broke in, "if you aren't going to try to get a job, how will you pay for it?"

"I thought perhaps you might help me out for a while."

"Oh!"

Again her face came close to his. "You said I should call on you. We like each other very much, don't we, Tom? At least, I like you!" Her smile was radiant.

He sprang to his feet and stood staring down at her.

At the look on his face a fearful foreboding crept over her. She rose too.

"What's the matter, Tom?"

He didn't answer. His started towards the car. Lora followed him, plucked at his sleeve.

"Tom," she pleaded piteously into his face, "you aren't angry with me, are you?"

"No," he answered grimly, walking on, "just angry at myself—for being a fool. Genie warned me. She told me you always wanted something for nothing, that you didn't really care for anyone but yourself, that you were just working me, but—" he gave a short laugh, "I flattered myself that you quite liked me!"

"But I do, Tom!" she cried. "Don't you believe those lies of Genie's! Don't you let her come between us! She's against me! She turns me——"

"I wouldn't say that, Lora," he broke in quickly. "It's your own doing that you're leaving. And I'll tell you something else. I always would be where I am if it weren't" for Genie. I'm what—I owe you some debt." A flicker of a smile crossed his tense face, "easily influenced—a pretty face, a gay time, a little flattery—Genie knows it, but for some reason she loves me. We were very happy—nothing ever came between us until you came! And we're going to be happy again." His tone was emphatic. "See this road?" he pointed. "You follow it for a couple of miles and it will bring you out on the main highway to New York. And here—" he pulled his wallet from his pocket, extracted a couple of bills, gave them to her. "Thanks twenty dollars. Sorry it's all I have with me."

"But, Tom," she cried, "what about you? How will you get home? Let me——"

"No. I'll walk."

"Oh, Tom, don't go off like this! I'll do anything you say!"

But he frowned on, unheeding

She got into the car and sank down on the seat. Anger overwhelmed her, anger against men and their vanity, and close upon that, regret for Faraday and that comfortable, easy life.

"To ready herself she got out her vanity case With trembling fingers she pushed back her wind-blown hair into its proper wave, powdered her nose. As she did so, courage soft confidence welled up within her She was still pretty. She would go to New York, appeal to that young lawyer in Arthur's office—Jardina was his name—who had been so interested in her

Smiling, she started the car. Her father's words echoed in her ear "If you're pretty and smart, you can have anything you want!"

WHEN Lora walked into Mr. Jardine's office a few days later, he welcomed her with outstretched hand.

"I'm so glad to see you I was wondering how I could get in touch with you. We had a communication from a relative of yours in Faraday, a Mr. Parks."

Mechanically Lora took the letter, slit it open. A cheque fluttered out for one hundred and fifty dollars, signed by Tom! So he was relenting after all. A wild thought rushed through her mind: perhaps with this money she could get still more—he was foolish to send a cheque—she shrieked to tell Genie—to——

But—the opening sentence of the letter ran: "It is at Genie's request that I am writing you and enclosing this cheque. A similar one will come to you every month."

Lora stopped short. At Genie's request! Genie who had accused her of being selfish, of always wanting something for nothing!

She read on "It is understood that this is no obligation on our part and that the money is in no way a payment of any debt. It is a voluntary tribute to the memory of your mother. Genie just could not bear to think of your mother's daughter being destitute."

The hand that held the letter dropped to Lora's side. She was so busy with her thoughts that when she left the office she forgot to give Jardine the best smile.

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Nest of the Sea Hawks

By an Air Correspondent of the Overseas Daily Mail

ABOARD H.M.S. Heron, somewhere in England—Nautically speaking, this is not a ship at all. Actually it is just as much part of the Royal Navy as H.M.S. Hood.

It is one of the nests of those "Sea Hawks" the Right Hon. Lord of the Admiralty spoke about in the Commons recently, the Fleet Air Arm.

I have been spending a couple of days "aboard" watching the latest batch of fledglings do their advanced training in the Skuas (dive bombers), Swordfish (torpedo bombers), Gladiators (fighters) and Fulmars (latest fighters) that our naval airmen have made as famous as Spitfires, Wellingtons and Hurricanes.

The sea is quite a way from here, but the tang of it is everywhere.

When I arrived at the guardroom of the Crome—a garden, ship—a quartermaster rolled along to where a great brass bell was hanging and clanged it four times.

"Four bells (10 o'clock) and all's well. I might have just stepped on to the deck of a battleship! But there before me, instead of the sea, lay one of the largest aerodromes I have seen in England A young lieutenant took charge of me. "I'll get you home safe with a cabin," he said the meant a room. "Come and meet the 'Old Man' (Captain).

Then I was taken up on the "bridge" (control tower). It was a strange sight to see mechanics in bell-bottoms and midshipmen and lieutenants in their squarecute clinging over half a dozen types of aircraft, the kind of aircraft you never see on an RAF drome.

Another batch of trainees not long "off the beach" (from civil life) were being put through a stiff course of advanced training. They had just graduated from bell-bottoms to their middy outfits, and if you watched them closely you could see them steal a quick glance at the golden wings on their arms. Proud young Hawks!

Any one of them could as well take over the Admiral's barge in a rough sea as a Skua in a dive-bombing attack.

Ahead of them were some weeks here, getting used to the service types, two weeks at Greenwich reading all about Nelson and naval history generally, then finishing off at an operational training station.

By the midight I was given permission by the "Old Man" to go out in a speed aircraft that Fleet Air Arm fighter pilots are trained in, and so I got a close-up of young Hawks flying through their paces.

My pilot was a young Australian lieutenant. He certainly gave me the "works" in the fighter-trainer.

The bon's has just piped all hands to tea, so here's one story before I "go below"

A middy was doing some practice dive bombing into the sea recently near what we'll call a military objective. He was so intent on dropping his little two-pounder smoke bombs on his target that his didn't notice the arrival, several thousand feet above him, of a large formation of Nazi bombers that began to unload 500-pound bombs around the area.

The middy was diving down with his last two-pounder when a 500-pounder whistled past him and landed fair on his practice target, sending a column of spray several hundred feet into the air.

Back at the ship the middy went to the armament officer and said: "Hey, what on earth did you put inside those two-pounds-of-smoke? One well off with a terrific explosion"

Then they told him

A Tongue Twister

See if you can say this quickly without going into a tangle:

Tom Tye tried his tie twice to tie,
But, tugging too tight, tore the tie
Tom borrowed to Ted Tye.
Then told Ted to try
To tie the tie Tom tried to tie.

"I don't think that man is to be trusted."

"On the contrary, he is absolutely honest. I would trust him with my life."

"Yes, but would you trust him with anything of value?"

Herr Hitler Says It Is Spirit of Britain That Carries Her to Victory

By "UNITAS"

ONE of the most arresting passages in "Mein Kampf" these days is that in which Hitler says that the spirit of the British nation "enables it to carry through to victory any struggle that it enters upon, no matter how long such a struggle may last, or however great the sacrifice that may be necessary, or whatever the means that may have to be employed, and all this though the actual equipment at hand may be utterly inadequate when compared with that of other nations." It is arresting because it explains the conviction of the German military eliminated that the "Blitzkrieg" offers by far the best chance of victory over Britain by Germany, and consequently explains the vast, elaborate and secret preparations, made long in advance of the striking hour, to conduct a swift, utterly ruthless war against her with every-blinding force, when the word is given to go". The passage refers directly to Britain, and the words "though the actual equipment at hand may be utterly inadequate compared with that of other nations" can only refer to the well-known fact that, since the British people have not naturally recoil from the idea of War and the aim of British policy since the rise of Germany, is, if possible, to maintain Peace, they will not sanction, in times of Peace, expenditure in preparation for war military preparations unless and until something happens to bring home the dire necessity of doing so. Consequently the conduct of German policy has, on the one hand, been one of subterfuge, to lull Britain into a sense of false security, with treacherous promises, assurances and treaty undertakings which can be torn up, disregarded or revoked at a moment's notice, and, on the other, to push on her own preparations for an overpowering lightning attack and for delivering a knockout blow with the greatest energy and secrecy.

Seeks Speedy Victory

BUT the passage reveals something more than this. It goes far to explain the cause of the German belief that in a war with Britain, Germany's aim, as in the present struggle, is who is before "the actual equipment at hand" which in the case of Britain is, with the exception of naval power, "usually inadequate" to begin with) becomes sufficiently strong to enable the spirit of the British to carry through to victory over her. In other words it explains the German belief that unless a fairly rapid victory over Britain can be secured, Germany will have to fight under a time limit. Hence the aim of Hitler to dispel this fear—his public declarations (see frequent now) that he will by a certain date have done or will do this or that, invade Britain, or what not! Hence the gross inaccuracies made by his propaganda machine of the losses inflicted on his enemy at sea and in the air—the object of these statements being identical, it is to keep the spirit of his followers up! And, since apparently he dare not risk the invasion of Britain yet, the home-bias aim of the speeches. For Hitler has got to attack somewhere. To stand on the defensive would demonstrate immediately to the German people that his boastings had been vain and that, despite his early successes he was afraid to do the work of Britain! And he has got to attack with success, for the reason he cannot afford to risk failure. Hence his overwhelming air assault on Belgrade and the enormous forces he is now employing in the Balkans. He was, at first, undecided to attack Greece (through Bulgaria and Yugo-Slavia) because he could not attack one Italy knocked out of the war and terms imposed on her which would affect his own position—in anticipation of which attack Britain and Imperial forces were transferred from Egypt and Libya to strengthen the Greeks' defence against it. We could do no other. To have let Greece—whose entire population is like that of Australia but approximately that of London, and whose gallant fight against far greater forces than her own will live in history—to face a second and infinitely more powerful assault, unaided by what military assistance it was possible for us to give, was, despite the risk, unthinkable. To give what we could, though it weakened our forces in Africa, was the right thing to do and, whatever the result, it will remain so.

Campaign in Libya

BUT while the opportunity it has given the Germans (now in Libya) to launch a counter attack in Libya has been taken, the real objective of it has yet to be disclosed. It is probably that the aim was to prevent the British Command from sending larger numbers of troops to Greece, but, in view of the defeat of Greece, it may develop into a drive against Egypt and the Suez Canal, which, if successful, might isolate Hitler for ever on through Palestine and Syria to the oil fields of Iraq and Iran and outflank Turkey to the East into Turkestan. Such an attempt would involve him in great risks. His armies have had no previous experience of desert fighting. The scarcity of water in Libya (obtainable only at certain places) renders the forward or backward movement of large bodies of troops, guns and tanks difficult and largely dependent not merely on carefully timed plans, but on the fulfilment of them. This alone constitutes a danger which might have dire results. Then practically the whole of the rugby between Tobruk and Alexandria runs adjacent to the coast, midway between which lies Mersa Matruh, to the south of which lies a huge tract of low, swampy ground (a veritable death trap for tanks and guns) and beyond that the desert.

Now Mersa Matruh and Tobruk are the only places between Bengasi and Alexandria which possess natural facilities for defence, and of the two Mersa Matruh is, for several reasons, far more suitable. Should we, therefore, abandon Tobruk and retire eastward, this is as likely as not to be for strategic reasons. For so long as we retain command of the Mediterranean—and, since our naval force there is far superior to the remnants of the Italian fleet and what units can be spared from the remains of the German, we are not likely to lose it—the Axis military forces in North Africa are not merely exposed to bombardment from the sea but their convoys of material and reinforcements from Europe are also, and, in the event of these same forces failing to achieve their purpose, it is improbable they could return to their European base without a considerable portion of them suffering the same punishment. It should, however, be remembered that Hitler's overtures to Franco and Petain, in furtherance of his plan for the West, and the central portion of the Mediterranean have not, to date, materialized. It is now known that the former rejected his suggestion (made through Mussolini) that, in return for a promised extension of her own African empire, Spain should help to evacuate Italian troops from Africa and allow Spanish African ports to be used for Germany's new submarines, and that the latter (Petain) has thus far rejected the role Hitler hoped and expected he would play, though it has yet to be seen whether Darlan will disappoint him, too.

On Three Fronts

THE outstanding feature of the present situation, therefore, is that Hitler (who had been credited with a strong desire to avoid fighting on two fronts simultaneously) has had to embark, in two additional directions remote from his base, and, without any adequate fleet, is today actually fighting on three different fronts—with unrest and restlessness in the countries he has already overrun in Europe growing steadily, with a large portion of his own troops kept in them to control it, with the British Empire (and American assistance) growing stronger in the air every month, and with the time limit very in the background. This is not, of course, to ignore either the critical nature of the present situation or the fine position he has built up, while his plan of campaign in the Middle East succeed and other countries not yet involved in the war be swept into his net in consequence. On the contrary, it emphasizes how crucial the present time is—for good or ill. For it therefore does not make good this year, if, as the outcome of the position he is making such stupendous efforts and sacrifices to achieve, he cannot force Britain to make terms, or should he suffer reverses on any of his fighting fronts, or his military effort become seriously weakened or undermined at its base, the war will assume a very different aspect in 1942. He may or may not have a secret understanding with Russia, not yet disclosed. If he has, it might deeply affect Turkey and materially assist him. If he has not, then without adequate sea power, the inexorable tide will flow against him sooner than would otherwise be the case. Turkey holds the Straits. Her determination to defend them and her own territory is known to be irrevocable. But it is difficult for her to ignore the Russian factor—the main danger of which appears to be that Russia's chief concern, is to avoid war with Germany and Japan at almost any cost. It is suspected, however, that she wishes to do this, if possible, without becoming involved in war with Britain herself, so long as her own vital interests remain, in her view, unaffected—for the reason that she believes the longer the struggle between Britain and Germany continues the more weakened both will become and the stronger, relatively, will her own position be when it ends.

How long it will endure, who dare say? But as the spirit of the British is carried through—until victory is gained, being confined to the British Isles, prevails throughout the entire British Empire—is, if anything, stronger now than it was before the effort to crush it by indiscriminate bombing of the people in their homes, is Home, was begun, it is safe to say it will end when it has been lost—by Hitler, or, just conceivably, but when it ends it will be found that, in writing the words in "Mein Kampf" quoted above, he—for one—spoke the truth.

Newfoundlanders at Work in Scotland

NEWFOUNDLAND loggers at work in Scottish woodlands, some of which are former game preserves—are helping to beat the U-boat menace by providing thousands of feet of timber for British industry.

The loggers belong to the Newfoundland Forestry Unit, a eighty-man corps formed at the request of the United Kingdom Government. The unit is now over 3,000 strong.

The trees which the Newfoundlanders are felling—chiefly pine, spruce and larch—are in privately-owned woods, the timber of which—has been bought by the Forestry Commission.

Many and varied are the uses to which the timber is put. Recently a "raid" order was executed for thousands of feet of timber for bunks in air raid shelters. This was a job on which the Newfoundlanders "especially enthusiastic."—"those people in London need a break," they said. Much of the timber is used for pit props, roof shoring and railway sleepers, but telegraph poles, transmission lines and ammunition boxes are also made. When invasion seemed likely last year the unit provided thousands of stout poles which were placed in open spaces to prevent the landing of troop-carrying aircraft.

When a reporter visited the North of Scotland recently he found well-planned log-built "camps hidden from the air amid clumps of pines. Most of the loggers—friendly fellows with a great sense of humor—were wearing "logans" (laced nine-inch leather boots with rubber soles), riding breeches, mackinaws (gaily-colored woollen jackets) or fleece-lined waterproof coats. Soft felt hats or cloth caps were favored by the majority of the man. The badge of the unit is a caribou's head (in white metal) in a circle with the inscription, "Newfoundland Forestry Unit."

Loggers—Not Lumberjacks

CONTRARY to popular belief, transplanted Atlantic loggers (they dislike being called lumberjacks) never use an axe for felling. It wastes too much wood. They use a "buckaxe"—a steel frame rather like a bow with a 36-42-inch blade. When the tree has been felled its branches are trimmed by an "axe man" wielding a three-pound axe—nearly always in one hand. The felled trees are then removed on tractor-drawn "pole wagons," or sleds, or, in the case of marshy ground, by light railway. For clearing up "stray" logs, horses are used. Some of the timber is stacked in graded piles, but much is taken to the sawmills. Men stacking and moving timber use a "peavey" (a wooden-handled implement with two sharp steel prongs).

Each camp has its own log-built bunk houses, rook houses, sick bays and wash houses. The chinks between the log walls are stuffed with moss and heating is provided by a wood-burning stove in the middle of the room.

Newfoundlanders are descended from people from Devon, Somerset, Scotland, Ireland and other places in the Old Country. Even today traces of their ancestors' accents can be detected. Commandant of the unit is Captain "Jack" Turner, who served in the Canadian army during the last war, first in the ranks and then as an officer in the Machine Gun Corps. He was twice wounded, but went to Siberia with the Allied Expeditionary Force in 1919. He has worked practically all his life as a logging engineer, not only in his native country but in Canada and the United States.

His chief assistant is six-feet three "Joe" Curran, whose six-feet six brother, Tom, is a district superintendent, known locally as "Wee Tam," "Al" Hubbard, another district superintendent, also only six feet, holds a Canadian B.Sc. in Forestry. Matthew Yetman, a milkwright, designed and built for himself in Newfoundland, a sixty-five-feet fore-and-aft schooner of thirty-five tons. "Mike" Duggan, one of his assistants, was once second mate of a Newfoundland coaster. Herbert Taylor, the chief mechanic (superintendent), is quite blond nowadays, for one of his two sons in the navy is second torpedo man in the submarine Thunderbolt—his vessel (formerly the Thetis) which recently sank an Italian U-boat. Patrick Tarrant, who served in the navy from 1914-18, was in the Newfoundland R.N.R. contingent at the coronation of King George V, and was one of the representatives of the Newfoundland Legion at the present King's coronation.

One of the "toughest" men of the unit is short, wiry Peter Pelipas. He worked for twelve years as a steel erector in the United States. Recently he lost part of a finger in a tractor mishap. He bound up the torn finger, finished the job he was doing, and drove his own car to a doctor. When his finger had been amputated he returned unperturbed to work.

Many of the men are on contract for the "duration," but a fair number of applications have been received to be allowed to join the forces; some men have already enlisted. A request was even made to headquarters that the men should be allowed to wear some kind of uniform. The men who made the request said they felt out of place in "civvies." Many have joined the Home Guard.

Marriages between local girls and the loggers have been fairly frequent, and in one of the stellar divisions alone there are sometimes exceed two a month. Lately interest has been aroused by reports that wooden "goal selectors" (they mark trees suitable for telegraph poles) are on their way to the Scottish woods. The Newfoundlanders are "interested."

Damp British Winters

SURPRISINGLY enough for men who come from a land which often experiences temperatures below zero, one of the chief grumbles is at the cold. The Newfoundlanders say they like a dry cold but loathe the damp British Winter. But they are "shaking down" remarkably well, and are getting used to the social life of the Highlands. Many have even learned to go the eightsome reels and the sword dance!

They are also getting used to British food, although one man said that every time he passes a meal he feels guilty. They do certainly miss their salt pork and beans but every now and then men in some of the camps get permission to shoot a deer or hare—A.J.H.H., in The Weekly Scotsman (Edinburgh).

Golf From the Air

From The Times (London)

IT is a truth universally acknowledged that it is a good thing to see oneself as others see us. The ever-obliging Dr. Goebbels is ready at any time to afford us this opportunity and has lately done so with, if possible, more than his usual lightness of touch. A well-known golf club near London gave him his chance by making some temporary rules for play in war time. They cover almost every possible contingency and were composed, as we should judge, not without a twinkle in the official eye. After dealing with sheltering from bombs during a competition, with spinters, crayers and other little things of the sort, the code lays down, first, that "a ball moved by enemy action may be replaced, or if lost or destroyed a ball may be dropped not nearer the hole without penalty"; secondly, that "a player whose shot is affected by the simultaneous explosion of a bomb may play another ball from the same place. Penalty one stroke. Here is a very proper distribution which will place the Sarah Bernhardts of the game. It is unquestionably disturbing to hear an explosion while in the act of striking, and it is perfectly right that we putt the ball clean off the green at such a moment, some allowance must be made. At the same time to be allowed to try a stroke over again is so contrary to the best traditions that the player must pay, in moderation for the privilege; and hence the penalty.

This, however, is by the way. Let us turn to Dr. Goebbels and see how he deals with the matter. "By means of these ridiculous reforms," announced a German station, "the English ape to try to impress the people with a kind of pretended heroism. They can do so without danger, because, as everyone knows, the German Air Force devotes itself only to the destruction of military targets and objectives of importance to the war effort." Curiously enough, the German Air Force has lately given an illustration of this accuracy of aim on another golf course not very far from London. After some argument the committee decided to fill up a certain small bunker in the 13th hole corner of a certain green. The work had just been finished when over came a German airman who presumably held strong views against making courses any easier. He might well have felt embarrassed by the richness of military objectives for there were seventeen other greens; but with perfect ease he exactly repeated that particular bunker. The committee felt that it was useless to contend with the effect that was in his jerkin," and the bunker is now to be kept as a historical monument, a memorial of the most accurate approach shot ever played.

Even German airmen cannot always live up to such a shot as that, and golfers at least ought to sympathize with them, which have been clubbed by those who do not understand. The golfer has an almost morbid objection to any noise just as he is making his stroke, even to a lark bursting into song high in the heavens. It is one of his oldest and most crushed excuses, invariably accepted. In less strenuous times it is usually his caddie's unexpected hiccups rather than a bomb which unhinge him, but the principle is the same. The German airman is not immune from this weakness. If, then, he is a little nervous, if he misses the barracks and is bunkered in the hospital, the golfer at least will not blame him. The poor fellow is not allowed a second try, even with a penalty.

Why do swans grow smaller as they grow older?—Because they grow down.

Legends Draw Tourists

STUMBLING giants, forlorn Indian Princesses, vanishing dogs and poetic romances are all part of Canada's stock in trade for tourists.

Parks Department and Canadian Travel Bureau officials said it was too early to estimate what the tourist business would be like this year, but they emphasized that the story of Canada's attractions was being told far and wide.

"It is clear that the holidayer, in this year of stress, has a lively interest in the romantic legends which surround many of Canada's picturesque spots," said one official. "There is no guaranteeing the truth of many of these stories, but they are an intriguing admixture with scenic beauties available to the visitor."

Most of Canada's legends come from the Indians. The Georgian Bay Islands were explained with the tale of a stumbling giant, lumbering over the icefield that was Canada's with a massive boulder in his hands. He stepped on the body of a huge fish, the boulder smashed to the ground and spinnered into 30,000 pieces to create the islands.

Beausoleil Island, in the Georgian Bay Islands Park, was discovered by a Canadian holiday ground where the legend hunter could have his fill. At Fairy Lake in the Indian reserve on the Kootenay Indian chief (traveling to council) left his daughter, since he did not want her to associate with brave's son. The assembly, in the lonely evenings, waiting for her father's return, she climbed to the top of a bluff at the end of the lake and there sang plaintive songs. Other Indians heard her—and to the tribesmen, henceforth, it was Fairy Lake.

Dog Cave on the island was the habitation of a mysterious small dog seen by Indians in the cave but never as it approached, and then vanish. They could not explain it. To complete the picture, Beausoleil has a treasure pit, where a fortune is said to have been buried—the date is unknown—and a massacre ground where Indians were slain in 1649.

"Poetic stories like that of Evangeline have brought countless tourists to Canada," said one authority on tourist travel. "In Prince Edward Island the home Green Gables, made famous by the novel "Anne of Green Gables," is an unfailing point of interest."

What Might Be Done

What might be done if men were wise,
What might be done, my suffering brother,
Would they unite
In love and right,
Cease the scorn of one another.

Oppression's heart might be imbued
With purest drops of loving-kindness,
And knowledge pour
From sacred shore
Light on the eyes of mental blindness.

All slavery, warfare, lies and wrongs,
All vice and crime might die together,
All wise and good
To each man born
Be free as warmth in Summer weather.

The meanest wretch that ever trod,
The deepest sunk in guilt and sorrow,
Might stand erect
In self-respect,
And share the teeming world tomorrow.

What might be done? This might be done,
And more than this, my suffering brother,
More than the tongue
Can wield or sung.
If men were wise and loved each other.

—Charles Mackay.

Looking Forward

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Burrard Inlet. It represents most careful surveying on the part of British Columbia land surveyors. Before anything could be planned for conserving the water of the area which it was proposed to take in had to be surveyed thoroughly, and as expansion has been deemed necessary from time to time parties have been dispatched from Victoria to obtain information needed before further plans could be initiated or proceeded with.

Completing the survey of the Capilano and Seymour watersheds in the late twenties, the application of the Coquitlam Water Board for an amalgamation with the Greater Vancouver Water Board made in 1939, meant the assignment of a party to survey the area involved. Commencing the Summer of 1940, and A. J. Campbell, veteran photographer and British Columbia land surveyor, who has climbed more mountains in the pursuit of his profession than most mountaineers, was selected by Surveyor-General F. C. Green to carry out the work. With his assistants, Messrs. Fraser, Raits and party, he spent the time between June and October securing data on the Coquitlam watershed for the benefit of the water board, which will have to be taken into the future of the greater area in the best interests of all the rapidly-growing communities of the Lower Mainland.

Parts of Surveyor Campbell's reports from last year and 1936-37, when he made a photo-topographical survey of the area in the Greater Vancouver watershed, are not entirely devoted to the readings of the transits or the summits of hills pictured in the photographs, instead, as there are in the old observers' surveyors, refers to the beauties of the area surveyed, its hanging valleys, jewel-like lakes, its streams, its forests, its rain and weather experienced, as well as indicates its advantages for the lover of the outdoors, the hiker, camera fan and the skiing enthusiast. And remarking on the wild flowers encountered on the hill slopes during certain periods of the Summer, he tells with enthusiasm of some of the lovely gardens cultivated by caretakers at certain lakes where, he states, the show of color and artistic arrangements, although not on so grand a scale are not surpassed by Victoria's famed Butchart gardens.

The territory surveyed by the surveyors last year had been covered with aerial "takes" in 1930 by flyers of the Royal Canadian Air Force, and again in 1939-40 it was "shot" by aerial photographers of the British Columbia Forest Branch, the survey carried out by the ground party covering the usual combination of photo-topographical and aerial views, needed to compile the maps of the area in the process of preparation. With the Greater Vancouver watershed, the Coquitlam Watershed reported in a district totaling approximately 280 square miles, the Greater Vancouver portion being 180 square miles and the Coquitlam area between 75 and 100 square miles. It is bounded by the shore of Burrard Inlet, Stave Source, Gardiner's Park, Pitt Lake and the Pitt and Fraser Rivers.

Forest Growth

IN his reports on the areas surveyed ten years ago and last Summer, Surveyor Campbell notes that hemlock cedar and balsam constitute the major part of the timber growth, while poplar, alder and small birch are well represented. The party saw black bear, blacktail deer and some mountain goats. Heather grows profusely on upland meadows, and alpine flora appears in places, but apparently not in the variety or color that features many of the special thrusts on the high lands of Cardinal Park. Ipsnc just beyond the limits of the north shore watershed over which the Lions keep constant watch and guard.

The hills included in both the Greater Vancouver and Coquitlam Lake watersheds are rough and inaccessible, good roads leading to points from which the mountain ridges can be reached. In his reports to the Surveyor-General, Mr. Campbell mentions the roads and trails in the areas surveyed, the districts they traverse and where they end. The entire area is of necessity not open to unrestricted exploration by the public. Certain regulations must be complied with before it would be possible to spend any time roaming about the headwaters of water watershed, but there are no restrictions barring one from the beauties available from Hollybum, Grouse Mountain or the ski-jump slope of Mount Seymour, where the ski-ing enthusiasts of Lower Mainland communities are centred in a comfortable clubhouse well up on the southerly side of the mountain.

Czech Flies Bomber

LONDON—A Czecho-Slovak pilot who L has made many flights over Berlin as a plain of a Royal Air Force bomber was a civil pilot before the war and his cause some amusement to his colleagues by his refusal to recognize any change in his flying duties now that he is delivering bombs instead of peace time loads.

When his destination in Berlin he sets a course for that city and flies without paying the slightest attention to searchlights, "flak" or other opposition. He was known as a good timekeeper when a civil pilot. His one thought now appears to be to keep to schedule, deliver the goods and return.

The other members of the crew are regarded almost in the light of passengers by this pilot. His job is to carry them to the target area and back again—with some assistance from the navigation, bomb aimer and air gunner. The second pilot often finds too little to do. If he offers to take over the controls he explains usually waves him away with the word "pump."

The other night a squadron leader decided to take part in a flight acting as second pilot. But when he offered to take the controls he met with no better success than the regular second pilot, "Pump," commanded the captain, "pump."

Charmed His Electors

LONDON—Frederick Roberts, ex-labour Labor M.P. for West Bromwich, who believed more in his violin than in his electioneering speeches, has resigned his seat for the Borough.

When election campaigning he always took his violin to meetings and charmed audiences with his music. He was the only M.P. able to play a tune on a saw.

Short, with flowing grey hair, he has often been mistaken for David Lloyd George. Roberts was Minister of Pensions in two Labor Governments. He was also chairman of the Labor Party in 1927 and a member of the Typographical Association for forty-five years.

How do engines hear?—Through their engineers.

A Beach Ramble Under Shirley Cliffs

IN the introductory chapter of that old-fashioned book dear to many a Glasgow Scot of nearly a century ago, Hugh Macdonald's "Days at the Coast," the writer describes the effect upon a city denizen of those days when he hears the magic phrase "A day at the coast", how in fancy he "strolls along the foamy beach and threads the flickering mazes of the rustling woods" or "climbs among the heights which lowers in—proud command" his "senses are steeped in the sweetest influences of nature's liveliness." Well, it is a long time since Glasgow had any resemblance to Victoria, in the days before James Watt invented his first steam engine and ushered in the era of smoke and fog. But delightful as Victoria is these April days, I confess it was just as delightful to me the other day to look again upon the Straits of Juan de Fuca as they stretch away to the northwest and the open Pacific. Over the old familiar road the modern stage moves westward, past the dark precipices of the Cattle Hills whose ledges are say with white fawn lilies and rosy with—we blush—Indian paint, the quiet waters of the Basin and the lovely country homes of Sassenos, past Brooke's pleasant scattered village, past the long wall of Bluff Mountain, the ocean's "Hitherto shalt thou come and no further" in days as recent as the final release of the last ice cap. The critics used to condemn old Walt Whitman because so many of his poems seemed little more than catalogues, but even a list of places and scenes steeped in the glow of memory has something lyrical about it... "Twice blessed is the beautiful to him who seans it with a loving eye. In the present it is a joy unspeakable, and from the dimness of the past it sheds on the eye of memory a never-ceasing lustre of gladness."

It has been a day of heavy showers; all the landscape is doubly green and the customary gulleiness of the road is enchanged for a gleam that reflects such lights as struggle through the ragged clouds. Evening is fast approaching as Malahat Farm is approached, my home for a few days. I remember how surprised I was when first I saw the name Malahat Farm by the roadside. At that time, like most people I associated "Malahat" with the long ascent above the west shore of Finlayson Inlet and it was not till I studied the map that I learnt that Malahat District has its southwest corner at the mouth of Muir Creek, where is metal Otter District on the east and Renfrew on the west. Hence the unexpected name of the Anderson farm. "Midway between Tugwell and Kirby creeks it makes an admirable centre for an exploratory holiday along the east or inland by steam valley or logging road. Malahat Farm used to be a favorite vacation place years ago, but fashion change and the automobile tatge people further afield than horse and buggy. Nevertheless and in spite of some changes in the countryside, the farm remains still an ideal spot for a quiet but interesting holiday and where the visitor finds a simple, cordial welcome.

Blue Sky, Flying Clouds

UP! bedtime next morning I looked from my bedroom window on lawn and pleasant trees, maple and ash against the dark rim of the old forest. The weather had been singing since 4 o'clock and their song seemed to harmonise with the brightness of the sky and the freshness of the rain-washed earth. At breakfast I looked out on green turf with a piece of newly planted and harrowed ground beyond, while between ran a little stream dammed lower to make a lakelet. Stellar's jays in their shining raiment of black and dark but vivid blue flashed past noisily. Song sparrows came out from their abode in the raspberry bushes and every now and then uttered a burst of sweet song. Killdeer plover flew in from the neighboring pasture fields and with their wild cry sank to the ground and ran here and there over the warm brown earth. A flock of wild pigeons they usurped the place for a few minutes. The song of the white-crowned sparrow could be heard and the performer in due course appeared on the grass.

After breakfast I shouldered my knapsack and betook myself to the beach. The sky was indescribably and exquisitely blue except where the purplish rain clouds came up on the west wind and obscured the distant mountains. The sea was a rich purplish blue when shadowed far off, but nearer above a pale milky green predominated, broken by the long lines of foam-crested waves. The whole scene was full of life and action from the snowy breakers half concealing distant Otter Point to the sea fowl rising against the ocean breeze.

The path through the woods by the Muir crosses a bed of black peat, accumulation of many years. Here beneath the cedars and spruces the color is broken by the tender green of young lady ferns and wood ferns, by the small broad leaves of Maianthemum bifolium or wild lily of the valley that in places completely cover the soil by their overlapping, and by the great leaves of the yellow arum with the flashy fruit spikes already ripening. In the shade of the trees the air is cool, but when at a step the sunny pebble bank of the river is reached it is like passing in a moment from one season to another. Overhead circles a bald eagle, but he soon disappears. The tide is low and along the rim of the shore a few gulls are feeding on the uncovered treasures of the sea. The air is full of the characteristic odor of the ocean, through from Muir Creek the opening of the straits is not visible. Sheringham Point obscuring it.

Spring Opens on the Cliffs

AFTER a scramble among the boulders and rock pools I follow along the shore beneath the fossil cliffs. The part Winter has seen less fall of rock than usual, but at least one small slide has occurred. Meanwhile plant life goes on and the first flowers of Spring and indeed of Summer are open; many of them will be seen for months to come. In the thickets the red-fruited elderberry is laden with its pyramidal clusters of creamy white and the salmonberry's deep pink flowers like soft-textured roses grace the golden brown canes with their still crumpled leaves. The Siberian montia or Spring beauty with its pale magenta or white flowers, their petals all notched, neighbors in many a corner the butter bur whose great well-cut flowers now overshadow the ripening inflorescence. Overhead the white flowers of the false valerian are already out, and so they were

S food from a recent on April 8, 1931, and on June 6, 1937, it was still flowering here. The large minmulus displays its great golden flowers and it too will continue throughout the Summer on the never-dry ledges and in moist crevices. The cinnamon vetch cherry is sheeted with bloom in the intervening draws that break here and there along the coast the sandstone walls. These and the upper slopes are clothed with maple and alder where the hundred pigeons resort by hundreds. Higher up the skyline is broken by great

[illegible] of the coast will bring them down crashing to the shore.

As I draw closer to the valley of Kirby Creek the great boulders that lie upon the coastal platform of sandstone are found greatly more high-water mark. One of these, a relic of the common basalt of the Sooke area in its larger sense, is, I believe, the largest I have seen on the southern shores of our Island. That these boulders are for the most part erratics or wanderers, even though they may have traveled but a few miles, is shown by one that not far from this point lies still stranded in the enclosing boulder clay ten or twelve feet above the beach. There are, however, boulders here and there that have a different history, as is shown by the foundation on which they stand. Albeit base too may still find them at least of the sandy shore on which they fell from the ancestral cliffs some thirty millions of years ago. Buried in the wet sand which ultimately set like cement, they have since by weather and ice been more or less completely extricated. Such is the large House Rock at Fishermen's Cove, Sandstone Creek, and there are probably other less easily decipherable.

River, Lagoon and Lakelet

I AM now approaching the mouth of Kirby Creek or, as it is sometimes called, Cutlis Creek. The first name is derived from that old and honored pioneer of the district whose recent disappearance has caused so much anxiety. Up to the time of writing this no sign of him has been found. I have known Mr. Kirby for nearly a quarter of a century, and several years I saw a good deal of him and of his wife, and found them both charming and kindly people. I remember Mrs. Kirby's old-fashioned cottage garden, which might almost have been translated bodily from an English cottage. Its flowers and scented herbs were like a breath of the Old Land. I think Mr. Kirby's heart turned a good deal to New Zealand, where

[illegible] ago when the grandfather of the present owner of the farm, a native-born Kirby, was a young man. I have always felt that the little stream should bear the name of this early settler so highly respected by the community in which he lived. Cool Creek is said to have called because of the discovery of very small layers of coal in the sedimentary rocks of the river banks. They were examined by Richardson in his exploration of the Island coal fields seventy years ago. As there is actually no coal worth speaking about, the name is puzzling if not actually misleading.

The waters of Kirby Creek furnish a good illustration of the changes taking place along a coastline such as this. The supply of boulders, cobblestones, gravel and sand has been largely derived from the boulder clays and inter-glacial beds which lie above the sandstones. These have been eroded by the sea while the creek in turn has brought down fresh supplies from the glacial and inter-glacial deposits through which it has cut its way. We have thus the work of the stream cutting its channel to the sea and the work of the sea which builds up the beach at the Expense of the land. This constructive work of the sea is, however, intermittent, for under certain conditions of wind and high tide immense masses of beach material are transported from one place to another. What today is a long stretch of smooth sand may be to-morrow a great expanse of cobblestones. Even the smaller boulders closely massed together may have their ranks broken up and be dispersed. There are some considerable areas of the beach between Kirby and Muir Creeks where the sandstone surface is uncovered after being concealed for a long period of years.

In the early years of my acquaintance with Kirby Creek the lower stream ran at its exit to the sea. It then flowed out of a small lagoon now represented by an enclosed fresh water pond or lakelet. This has been for some years left on one side and the stream now follows a rather shallow bed directly across the beach barrier. It is easy to see if the creek is followed up how many have been the changes of course it has experienced during the process of keeping its way open to the sea. It seems to have been struggling through the years against the constant tendency of the debris of its bed to choke it up and its varying courses tell the story of its writhing struggles.

The Flowering of the Conifers

LUNCH at a rocky corner of the lakelet's hollow, a place where in years gone by large numbers of fossil shells were obtained by collectors both from Victoria and from the University of California. As I sat there in the bright sunlight with all the tokens of Spring about me, I felt the contrast between the present scene and the old history described in the shaly sandstone at my feet. Animal and plant dynasties have perished, but still the old world goes on.

"The old order changeth, yielding place to new,
And God fulfils Himself in many ways,
Lest one good custom should corrupt the world."

Along the gravelly beach barrier and behind it where its materials have been spared by some onslaught of the sea years ago, the light and scanty turf bears a thin and unpretentious carpet of tiny flowers. In the sheltered hollows of jutting I walk along, it is not so much by these I am attarted as by the flowers of the evergreen coniferous trees. For the first time I am able to see here by Kirby Creek the beauty of a blossoming spruce. The trees are coming into bloom comparatively low in stature and looking up into the tops of the spruces I see what Spring does for them. The upper branches are at present a glow of rich red with crimson fruit. What gives this appearance I see from lower branches where twigs which each are this rosy staminate cone-shaped catkins, in some already opening to disperse their pollen on the air. These lovely flower clusters—for such they are—largely outnumber the pistillate catkins which ultimately develop into the seed-bearing cones. Under some of the trees lie numbers of the staminate catkins broken off no doubt by wind.

Not so numerous are the hemlocks, but their flowers are also pretty objects, though they differ much from the spruce cones. The staminate flowers are at present in a little clusters of tumid, reddish bodies, while the pistillate ones take the form of very small purple cones. The cones of the firs are quite different from either. The staminate catkins are much more catkin-like than those of the spruce and of a golden yellow. The pistillate ones are reddish with long bristles, the whole very decidedly fir like.

Beyond the stream—which I have to wade—is another and older lagoon now partly filled up with vegetation. The barrier beach ends against the volcanic rocks which outcrop all the way to Sheringham Lighthouse and beyond for a considerable distance. I go on as far as rocks and tide will permit, and just at that limit can be seen the base of the sedimentary rocks, conglomerate and coarse sandstone, resting upon and filling up crevices in the underlying basalt. These remnants constitute the base of the Sooke formation and in them we see the very beginnings of a new cycle in the history of the Island, when upon the worn surface of the old lands the debris of erosion was brought down by forgotten rivers to the sea even as today.

Warren's Devastating Exposure of an Antique Racket

A Helen and Warren Story

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NOT antique. Not even second-hand old. Just clever reproductions.

But Helen's dutiful admiration. Careful to say nothing that would question the "antique" Chippendale.

"And you got them in London? Some time ago?"

Long before the war. Weren't we lucky." Mrs. Kent's possessive pride. "To find a pair in such perfect condition!"

"Yes, chairs get much harder use than other furniture. The really old ones are rare."

"Especially armchairs! We were special till the dealer scraped a leg—to show the old wood."

A notorious faking trick! Often a whole "antique" chair built around one authentic leg or arm. And that the part scraped!

But the Kents so proud of those chairs. Not cloud their enjoyment with any suspicion!

"He said from Lord Wismore's collection. All his paintings and furniture sold for the inheritance tax."

"Yes, that was stiff in England even before the war," Warren lighting a cigar. "Lot of collections had to be sold to get cash."

Their hostess still talking of the chairs. Not saying what they had paid, yet implying an extravagant price.

"But you didn't have to pay duty?" an entrapping query Helen instantly regretted.

"Of course not. They're well over the hundred-year exemption."

The indirectness question happily not disconcerting. But how had those chairs passed the customs experts as duty-free, antiques?

The splay backs, claw feet and broad seats accurately Chippendale—good reproductions. But that mahogany—not the age-sheened patina. And an indefinable something—No, not old!

"Roger got them through the customs. If any doubt they'd only to look at that back leg," turning the chair. "You can see where it was scraped."

"You're batty about those chairs!" reproved her husband. "Show Mrs. Curtis that old box you got in Oxford."

"Yes, I love boxes!" Helen hoping that would be authentic.

And it was! A lovely old satinwood workbox she could sincerely praise.

"The same shop had a pair of knife boxes I coveted. But after all we'd spent on those chairs—"

"Now Nancy, we've heard enough about those chairs. I want Curtis to admire that Sèvres your brother sent us."

A welcome diversion from the dubious Chippendale Hard to find more adjectives both laudatory and truthful.

Mrs. Kent soon back in the living-room with an ice-tinkling tray.

A whiskeyish Warren balanced his glass and a plate for the miniature sandwiches.

"Here, I'm no good at the Juggling act. Where's I'll park there? No, don't move that table—I'll come over there."

At the piecrust table, he drew up one of the treasure-laden armchairs.

Dropping into it, automatically he tilted back—

"Dear, don't—don't!" Helen's breathless warning.

Too late! A splintering crash—

Warren sprawled on the floor!

"Oh, my chair—my chair!" shrieked Mrs Kent. Then recovering her hostess role, "I hope you're not hurt?"

"Just my dignity," red-faced, he scrambled up. "But afraid I've wrecked that chair!"

"Oh—oh, how could you?" anguished Helen.

"Clumsy, all right," he muttered. "Can't I pay back injury—"

"It can't be helped," Mrs. Kent picked up the broken leg. "Accidents do happen."

"Now don't worry, Curtis. That leg can be mended. If not, any cabinet-maker can put on a new one."

But Warren still red and apologetic. For once deserved by his nonchalant poise.

To spare him always Helen's protective impulse. Nothing hurt more than to see him embarrassed!

If only she'd told them of her conviction—the chairs just copies. They might have believed her then. But not now!

They thought he'd irrevocably damaged an antique Chippendale. Never the same value with a restored leg.

"If that's not mendable," gruffed Warren, "we'll gun around for another."

"No you won't! That can be fixed good as ever. Don't take Nancy's passion for those chairs too seriously."

Helen kneeling beside it. Yes, the broken leg the old one. But where it had joined the frame—new whitish wood!

"Oh, I—I didn't tell you before!" flurriedly. "But now you can see this new wood—a reproduction! Only that one leg genuine—the one they scraped!"

"A reproduction!" shrilled Mrs Kent. "No, no, I can't believe it!"

"I'm afraid it's true. They take one antique chair and make six! One original part in each—scraped to show the old wood!"

"By George, Kitten, think you're right!" Warren scowled at the betraying break. "I've heard of that racket."

"I still can't believe it! Not without more proof. Roger, let's scrape the other legs—where it won't show."

All watching breathlessly as Mr Kent tilted up the chair. With his penknife scratching the back of each leg.

Yes, beneath the antiqued finish—new wood!

"Just reproductions!" Limply, she dropped on the couch. "And when I think what we paid—"

"Rotten luck. Have to charge it up to experience," shrugged Warren.

"An expensive experience!" ruefully. "But at least you needn't feel taking about breaking it. Easy to get a new leg—to match the rest."

"And you're to send me the bill," beaming relief. "Yes, you will! Guess I can do that much."

"I don't even feel like having it fixed! Always a reminder of how gullible we were. I'd like to get rid of the pair!"

"But how did they get through the customs without duty?" ventured Helen.

"That's what's been puzzling me."

"They didn't!" Mr. Kent's startling confession. "Spotted at once as phoneys. I paid a high duty—on top of the price he soaked us!"

"You paid duty? Roger, you knew they were reproductions?" hysterically. "And you never told me?"

"You were so crazy about them—I hadn't the heart. And knew how you'd worry over being gypped—the hundred and twenty pounds we coughed up!"

"So you let me rave to everyone about our genuine Chippendale!"

"Always tried to cut you off. But you got such a kick out of it. And doubt if anyone knew the difference—except Mrs. Curtis!"

"I certainly didn't!" Warren filling his pipe. "But Helen's a wiz at spotting fake antiques."

"No doubt about that! I thought she was on to them—but I couldn't stop Nancy's effusions."

"Then you knew all along, Mrs. Curtis? And too nice to tell me! Oh, I feel such a fool—"

"What got me sore was being played for a sucker—dumb American tourists. Felt like a zap when the customs men showed up that leg trick."

"But all collectors make mistakes," consoled Helen. "Even museum experts!"

"And we're far from esoteric!" finishing his Scotch.

"Roger, is that why you wouldn't let me hid on those dining-room chairs? That Hepplewhite set at the Forbes sale?"

"Yes, afraid of getting stuck again! Wine now to jinx trick. But those fakers have plenty of others!"

"Some very ingenious ones. Manufacturing antique furniture a big industry!"

Discussing a few of the tricks. Furniture made of old mahogany doors or oak beams. Battered to look worm. Artificial wormholes. Metal fittings chemically aged.

"And to meet the inordinate demand, early American pieces turned out wholesale. Planted in old farmhouses—to be "discovered" by motorists!"

"Well, after this I buy new furniture!" Mrs Kent discouraged. "Honest reproductions"

"Yes, I'll take a good new chair every time," grinned Warren. "It was that one old leg that gave way. What the deuce—"

Catching the crystal ash tray—knocked off by his elbow!

"Love, this is my clumsy day!" pocketing his pipe. "Better go before I do any more damage."

"No real damage done. I'm glad to know about those chairs," admitted Mrs. Kent. "So I won't boast of them any more!"

"That's welcome news! I was always afraid somebody would shame them up."

Mr. Kent's relief so evident—their embarrassment wholly dispelled.

Soon an easy, friendly leave-taking

Out in the quiet side street. A soft, moist night.

Waving off a slowed-up taxi. Only nine blocks. The urge to walk.

Strolling on, Warren's cane swung in vigorous liberation.

"Love, that was an awkward spot! When I felt that blamed thing collapse—"

"Dear, did ways you flop into chairs," reproached Helen. "And you will till back—Wonder you don't break more!"

"Because I pick solid ones! Last time I park on an antique—or a pseudo-antique!"

"When you broke it—oh, I was so sorry I hadn't told them!"

"Pretty good self-control for you. When you spot a fake—usually blurt it out."

"Dear, I don't!" flushing. "I certainly never swear to!"

"Too were all right this time," patting her gloved hand. "Didn't rub it in that they'd been stung."

"Why, you know I wouldn't!"

"Guess not. Well, Kitten, this is once you needn't apologize. I was the one that pulled the boner!"

"But I couldn't bear to see you so disconcerted!" pressing his arm. "You so rarely lose your poise."

"Lost it that time! Busting a chair—slapstick stunt," he chuckled. "And after the way she raved—thought I'd wrecked a museum piece. Embarrassing moment, all right!"

Has Best Seller

LONDON.—Britain's super-best seller at the moment is a threepenny Government publication called "The Battle of Britain," which is the story of the Royal Air Force's victories over the Luftwaffe last Fall. The 50,000 copies of the first edition were sold out in an hour. The Stationery Office is coping with 250,000 orders. More are coming in at the rate of 100,000 a day. The United States edition will be printed from a photostat copy.

The author of this 5,000-word "thriller" is forty-three-year-old Hilary St. George Saunders, a civilian member of the Air Ministry Intelligence Service who is partauthor of the Francis Beeding detective stories. Mr. Saunders was assisted by six other Air Ministry officers in collating facts for "The Battle of Britain". The booklet took about two months to prepare and write.

Other best sellers include "Into Battle—Winston Churchill's Collected War speeches; "The Nine Days' Wonder," John Masefield's account of the retreat from Dunkirque; "Dunkirque Reed; "The Prophet at Home"; "The Diary of a Staff Officer," dealing with last year's battles in Flanders and Northern France; and Quentin Reynolds' "The Wounded Don't Cry."

The fiction list is headed by Ernest Hemingway's "For Whom the Bell Tolls," which is the first novel Mr. Churchill has read since becoming Prime Minister. Cheap editions of Anthony Trollope and Jane Austen are also in demand, particularly "Pride and Prejudice," since the film was shown here.

Convoy System Not New

LONDON—The convoy system is not entirely an invention of the last war. It was used in the seventeenth century to safeguard the wool textile export trade during the Anglo-Dutch wars. In 1651, Adam Bruno, member of Parliament, received a letter from a Yorkshire merchant asking "that you should be pleased to procure an order from the State a good convoy to be, if possible, at Hull the last day of this month to take charge of a ship from Robinson's shipp and goods for the porte of Hamburge in Germania. And what charges you do any thing, you employ shall be at, wee shall thankfully repay."

Apparently the merchants sent their goods twice a year to Hamburg or the Baltic and had to seek State protection. Sometimes the convoy did not come or was inadequate to give security. On one occasion there were fifty vessels at Hull, laden with cloth and other goods, and only one man-of-war to escort them. Four Dutch ships were waiting at the mouth of the Humber to seize them. The ships refused to sail, and several important Continental markets were lost.

Newsviews and Reviews

Her Majesty

Pen-Portrait of Queen

By AUDREY STANLEY OF ALDERLEY

The Queen's Coronation Portrait for Air Raid Victims has been given the right to publish in Canada through its supporting newspapers Lady Stanley of Alderley's authoritative and sympathetic pen-portrait of Queen Elizabeth, author of "Ordeal" and "Ladies Courageous" and co-author of "Ladies Courageous" and co-author of "Ladies Courageous" and co-author of

Suburb and Country

SUNSHINE, SOIL, SEED, SERVICE, SATISFACTION — AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE ON IT DEALS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock, M.C., F.R.S.C.

Hardy Gloxinia Generous With Blooms in Borders

INCARVILLEAS, despite their garden beauty, have been little grown in borders, but more recently that strangest of all, the Hardy Gloxinia (Incarvillea grandiflora), has been occasionally appearing there, to the accompaniment of many exclamations.

The common name describes it perfectly, for, although the blooms are somewhat more flaring and longer tubed, they closely resemble the greenhouse gloxinia in size, form, beauty and texture, the plant differing mainly in its hardihood and easy culture. Were it better known it would be a standard favorite in gardens.

The strangest thing of all about this exotic-appearing flower is that it is not a plant of the lush jungles but a high altitude Himalayan. It grows at about 10,000 feet on the Da-Tsung Alps of China's hinterland. Though it thrives splendidly in the rock garden and is only between six and ten inches high, the large blooms are so far removed from alpine jewels in appearance that it does seem utterly out of place among the stones. It would make a magnificent border edging were one to raise it from seed in quantity. In lesser display it makes a handsome decoration in pots or window-boxes, or in garden pots, provided care is used in bundling its very brittle tuberous-like white roots. This, of course, does not preclude more sparing use as an accent in the border edge, or other garden bed.

Naturally as exotic a bloom raises many doubts of hardihood, but Dr. Henri Correvon reported growing it in Switzerland, Dr. C. R. Work reported having brought it through thirty below zero in New York State, and it has survived zero temperatures with neither snow nor mulch in the Prairie Northwest. All of this seems reasonable when the bitter cold and high winds of its own lofty peaks are considered.

Needs Winter Drainage

A LIGHT sandy loam, heavily mixed with humus and well enriched, plus good Winter drainage, is ideal for Hardy Gloxinia. They like the sun, and close their blooms at night. The colors are softly rich—carmine, rose red, purple, all with golden throats. Bloom lasts usually through June and July, and is borne just above the few thick dark-green rounded leaves, both leaf and flower stems springing directly from the ground. Nurseries offer the roots, but the Hardy Gloxinia is not difficult to raise from seed by those who are willing to wait two years for bloom.

The better known Incarvillea delavayi is a different type of plant, and somewhat nearer the dahlia in hardihood, but it winters well, if given some protection. The roots may be treated like the dahlia if preferred. This is a larger plant than the Hardy Gloxinia, with individual flowers a bit smaller. The one to three foot flower stems rise above a sizeable clump of light green pinnate leaves, each about one foot long and with as many as fifteen to twenty segments.

Each flower stalk carries from two to twelve rosy purple trumpets, two to three inches long and wide, and with a golden tube inside and out. This belongs to the same family as the catalpa, tecoma and bignonia. A little partial shade seems best in the average climate.

Pansies and Violas May Be Grown From Seed

PANSY plants such as are sold in flower in early Spring may be grown quite easily by the gardener who has a cool frame. The seed is sown in late August in a seed bed which can be shaded and watered.

Seed of one of the giant strains should be obtained if one wants large flowers. If small flowers are preferred, the so-called tufted or Scotch pansies will do better. Violas may also be given the same treatment. All pansies are members of the violet family, but the same pansy is opposed to those which have "faces."

If you have a seed bed made of lime and shaded with a canopy of cheesecloth or lath, and which can be watered, sow the seed in rows. If you have no such seed bed prepare a flat similar but lift it about 6 inch in the usual manner and sow the pansies in that. It can be placed in a shady spot and kept well watered until the seedlings appear.

In sowing spread the seed thinly. Mix sand with it if necessary to prevent overcrowding. If the seeds are too thick it will be difficult to distinguish the roots of the seedlings when time comes to prick them out. As soon as the seeds sprout they should be given all the light possible and plenty of fresh air. Do not let them get wet. Protect them from the midday sun.

Transplanting Seedlings

WHEN the seedlings have made their first real rough leaves they should be transplanted to other flats, where they have more space, or to the cold frame. Florists usually move them to flats where they are planted two inched each way, this is called "pricking out." They are allowed to grow here until they are small sturdy plants. The amateur may shortcut this procedure and move the seedlings directly from the seed bed or first flat to the cold frame.

Soil in the cold frame should not be overmanured, but should be light and friable and reasonably fertile. The plants should be set in rows, four inches apart in the rows, and six inches between the rows. Let the plants grow in the open through the fall until the ground begins to freeze. Then fill up the cold frame with dry leaves and cover it with the sash or boards. In severe weather the sash can be covered with straw mats or any such covering, but this is not usually needed.

In the Spring as soon as frost begins to come out of the ground, the leaves should be taken off the pansy plants and the mat put on the frame. The management from now on is the same as any other planting in the Spring. The pansies will bloom under the glass much earlier than they would outdoors, and you will have pansies to set out in the border when the tulips begin to bloom.

Spiking the Hard Lawn

ON old turf, where the soil between the grass plants has become hard and compact, it is advisable to go over the area, either before or just after the plant food is applied, and loosen up the soil.

On small areas this can be done with an ordinary digging fork, by jabbing the tines into the soil and moving them slightly back and forth. A special tool, known as a turf spike, is made for this purpose. Holes made by the spikes both permit the plant-foods to find ready entry into the soil and serve to admit air, which is quite as important for the developing roots as the plant food itself.

Sowing of Perennials Need Not Be Delayed

GARDENERS who plan to grow perennials from seed this year, and every gardener should plan to do so, will have an easier time of it if they will sow in April instead of waiting until June or later.

When Summers are hot and dry it is often quite a task to get seeds to germinate in June and seedling plants must be given extra attention at that time "to keep from being scorched to death.

In April and May, however, we usually have cool, moist weather which hastens germination and is favorable to the young plants. Many of the perennials germinate best in cool weather. Delphiniums, for example, grow best in a temperature of 40 degrees.

When seeds are sown in April or early May the seedlings should be transplanted in July so that they have room to develop into sturdy plants. They will be large enough by Fall to be planted in the border where they are to grow.

There is no garden operation which saves money, faster than growing one's own perennials. When plants are purchased they are relatively expensive because of the labor involved in their intensive care they have had and the large percentage of loss Plants have never been grown successfully in large quantities. Quantities because of the limited area over which they can be distributed satisfactorily and the high cost of packing such fragile subjects for shipment. The gardener who grows his own plants, not for or because the task of caring for the plants and observing their growth is a fascinating recreation, if he is a true gardener fan.

Among the perennials with which original seed will have to be sown are aquilegias, columbines, delphiniums, gaillardias, coreopsis, hollyhocks, pyrethrum, sweet williams, veronica, aquesta and violas

Grapes for Home Use

THE grape is a favorite fruit both for eating fresh and for various culinary purposes such as jelly, unfermented juice and wine. The vine, under congenial growing conditions, is deep rooted and long lived. Its culture is not difficult and well known. For home use where the requirements are not so exacting as in commercial production, the grape can be grown under a wide range of soil and climatic conditions, provided use is made of suitable varieties and the vines are given proper care, says A. J. Mann, Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C.

In the home garden that has sufficient room a few grape vines should be grown in order that the family may have an ample supply of this ribbon fruit. Varieties suggested for home use in British Columbia are as follows: Very hardy Parlieta, hardy—Campbell Early, Diamond, Sheridan, moderately hardy—Muscat F. deLesseps, Pearl of Canada.

The Jersey cow Rosemont Standard's Lady, owned and tested by C. R. Easton, Victoria, has recently completed a record of 11,184 pounds of milk, 397 pounds of fat, with an average test of 3.34 per cent., as a junior four-year-old in 365 days.

The quickest annual flower to bloom is lepteoyne stilimanti, which will bear flowers in five weeks from seed. The plant grows eighteen inches tall and the flowers are yellow daisies, borne for a long season.

Plants to Produce Color In Semi-Shaded Locations

AFTER the Spring flowering bulbs, iris and peonies, have produced their showy masses of flowers, the semi-shaded portion of the garden becomes the home of the gardener's experience. Bearing a few perennials and some annuals will produce flowers, but usually the blooms are so far below the standard set by the plants which make such a show in the sun, drenched areas that the results are not sufficiently encouraging to warrant even the usual maintenance care. As a result the shady area too often becomes untidy and overgrown, writes Marion Mackrell Black in The New York Times.

Since opulence of bloom and color are difficult to achieve in the shady area, plants which will thrive in the shade and at the same time produce a pleasing amount of color must be used. The colors—yellow, white and red—which produce the best effects in the shaded area are, fortunately, the colors of the flowers of most of the shade-loverss plants. Blue and lavender may be used, but these colors lose so much of their color value in the shade that they are not particularly effective.

The hemerocallis or daylily is the outstanding plant for a shady spot. Early, midseason and late-flowering named varieties may be chosen. While one group of blooms the foliage of the other groups has a lush appearance and this gives a healthy "well grown" look to the entire plant.

Begonias in Full Color

NEXT to the day lily, the tuberous-rooted begonia is the most attractive plant for a shady corner. Numerous shade-tolerant annual flower is so colorful. It will not flourish, or is too much of a luxury, the ordinary Begonia semperflorens and gracelis types with their white, pink and dark scarlet flowers may be used. These bedding-type begonias may be planted out—if doors in May and brought inside in the Fall just before the first heavy frosts. Begonias are very colorful when used as edgings of paths and also for bedding beneath a sun dial or bird bath. The hardy begonia, B. evansiana, has attractive foliage but usually does not flower until late August.

Hyacinthus condicans, the white Summer-flowering hyacinth, will bloom remarkably well, as will gladioli. Both receive the same culture and the best results are achieved when the bulbs and corms are renewed each year.

Many of the hardy lilies too are fully at home in semi-shaded locations and give color during the different Summer months. Some of the most satisfactory species are: Canadense, maculatum, grayi, hansoni, pardalinum, philadelphicum, speciosum, superbum and tigrinum.

Snakeroot and Loosestrife

SNAKEROOT (Cimicifuga racemosa) and loosestrife are ornamental. Similar in bloom and both add a rather fluffy note after the comparatively solid forms of the lilies and begonias.

Hosta (funkia, or plaintain-lily) is another excellent plant for the garden situated in partial shade. The foliage of the funkias is always interesting, because each of the species has a different appearance. Some of the leaves are deep green, some blue-grey and others variegated green and white. The shapes of the leaves are always different, too. Sometimes they are round, sometimes pointed, sometimes long and narrow. The small lily-like flowers appear from July to September in white and blue-lavender shades according to the variety.

Colchicum, the common Autumn Crocus, is very interesting and attractive. The bulbs are best planted in early Fall in the most open portion of the shady border. Great works of green foliage appear in early Spring and then disappear in June. In September and October, the purple and white flowers, without foliage, appear. Crocus sonatus, another Autumn-flowering crocus, has rosy-lilac flowers with yellow throats.

The hardy fuchsias bloom just as freely in light shade as they do in full sun. Fuchsia magellanica, the white variety alba, and the crimson and purple variety Riccartoni will produce graceful and exotic flowers throughout the Summer.

There is no trick to having healthy foliage and full drifts of roses, if these plants are used in sufficient quantity. It is desirable to have enough plants of each species or variety so that if one plant fails to bloom the color will be carried by the rest of the group.

Crop Rotation Essential on the Dairy Farm

BY crop rotation is understood the growing of different crops in a regularly recurring succession on the same land, as opposed to a practice of haphazard changes without a definite plan.

Under a system of dairy farming a crop rotation should include corn or root crop, grain and legume hay. The cycle may be extended over as many years as desired, depending on the circumstances. For instance, a five-year rotation consisting of hoed crop, grain, legume hay, hay or pasture, and grain, is one which is well adapted to dairy farming. On an average 100-acre farm with twenty-five acres of unimproved land which could be used as pasture and twenty-five acres under cultivation, the cultivated land could be divided into five fields of fifteen acres each and comprehensive fitted into a five-year rotation. In order to provide a balance of the various feeds only ten acres of corn for silage would be necessary. In one field, therefore, corn could be grown and the remaining five acres in the field sown to grain. Two of the remaining fields could be used for grain such as oats and barley and two for hay or pasture arranged in the sequence outlined above. This would provide ten acres of corn, thirty-five acres of grain and thirty acres of hay which would produce, on the basis of average yields, 400 tons of corn silage, 52,000 pounds of grain and sixty tons of hay. This amount of feed would be sufficient for a herd of twenty cows, leave a little farm and twenty cows, together with several head of young stock.

The above plan is an illustration of how a rotation may be set up. Modifications of this rotation can be made to meet particular circumstances. A well-planned rotation should provide a sufficient amount of the coarse feeds for the amount of livestock kept. It allows for more equitable distribution of labor and facilitates weed eradication and maintenance of soil fertility.

FRAGRANT LILACS ATTRACT PRETTY ADMIRER

The Lilac Bushes of Victoria Gardens Were Never More Profusely Flowered Than This Season. The Colonist Photographer Caught This Picture of Miss Wanda Rose Enjoying the Beauty and Fragrance of Some Fine Double White Lilacs in Beacon Hill Park During the Past Week.

Range for Poultry of Great Importance In Care of Flock

THE question of range for the birds is of great importance in the successful care of a flock of poultry on a farm. The practice of giving poultry on a mixed farm unlimited range is far from desirable. Rather than have the birds roam all over the place, scratch up the garden, lay in the stables or in the hay loft, they should be restricted to quarters of their own.

Though the poultryman, who carries on the business on a large scale, may practice an intensive system whereby the birds in their first laying year are confined during that entire period, it is unlikely, where a system of mixed farming is carried on, that such a practice will be followed. Hence the question of range for the birds will demand attention at all times, says K. MacLean, superintendent, Dominion Experimental Substation, Smithers, B.C.

Birds should not be allowed to roam over the same area two years in succession. They should be, if possible, off at least a three or four-year relation. Land that has carried birds through one season should be ploughed up and cultivated the following season and sown down to a succulent green crop for the use of the flock during the succeeding year. By alternating the range in this way the land is revitalized, it is at least free of poultry every second year and an effort made to keep the soil as clean as possible.

In the long run such a system as outlined is not only desirable but in all probability will be found necessary. If birds are allowed to run over the same area year after year disease is likely to develop sooner or later. It is easier to prevent disease than control it. Accordingly, sanitary conditions must be maintained, not only within the poultry house but also outside it. As polluted soil is a fruitful source of disease precautions should be taken to keep the soil as clean as possible. That cannot be done if birds are allowed to frequent the same range year after year or even two years in succession.

Where a soil is of sandy loam nature with a gravelly subsoil, the danger of soil infection is not so serious, especially if heavy rainfall during the season helps to purify the soil. Under conditions of difficult soil drainage, aggravated by low rainfall, the danger of disease is all the more pronounced. Therefore, rotation of range or yard space must be emphasized.

A practical system for the mixed farmer to follow would be to have his poultry house so located that a range or large yard could be fenced off in front of the house for the use of the birds for one season. The following season a similar range could be fenced off at the rear of the house. By this method these yards would and should be used on alternate years. This would be found of the greatest help to offset much trouble from probable soil infection.

With reference to the raising of young stock the same applies. Young birds should not be raised on an area where birds were reared the previous year. They should also be kept away from any of the older birds.

The adoption of a regular system of range rotation is necessary. Such a system does not involve any great difficulty once it is adopted, and it is invaluable for the welfare of the birds. To maintain a flock free from intestinal parasites is practically impossible once the soil becomes infected. To keep the soil free from infection rotation of range must be carried on.

Saanich Jersey Cattle Club Qualifiers

FOLLOWING is the list of cows owned by members of the Saanich Jersey Cattle Club which have qualified under official supervision for the fifty-pound list for March, 1941. Numbers in parenthesis indicate days fresh and times, followed by pounds of milk and butterfat respectively.

Yearlings

Brackenhurst Sports Gwen (254). 713.5, 34.5 Ian Douglas

Babbacombe Rondin Rebecca (247) 638, 35 H. E. Burbridge

Babbacombe Standard Sequin 2nd (66), 790, 53 H. E. Burbridge

Two Years

Brookdale Ivor Jonnie (123) 726, 46 Harold Brooks

Three Years

Babbacombe Benjulele (335), 738, 47. H. E. Burbridge

Thrieve Sport's Simone (114), 1,016 52. Ian Douglas

Rosemont Standard's Beauty (232), 758, 47 E. W. Burkinshaw.

Babbacombe Bettune Diana (94) 885, 47 H. E. Burbridge

Four Years

Babbacombe Standard's Emilax (109), 937, 48 H. E. Burbridge

Rosemont Standard's Melba (16) 964, 53 E. W. Burkinshaw

Brookdale Daisy's Barbara (27) 1,034, 56 Harold Brooks

Five Years

Babbacombe Standard's Sensation (108), 927, 53 H. E. Burbridge

Babbacombe Standard's Stella (78), 1,034, 62 H. E. Burbridge

Glenora Dream's Glow (155), 1,127, 85. E. W. Burkinshaw

Rosemont You'll Do Sadie (265), 961 53. E. W. Burkinshaw

Dunsum Oxford's Rona (31), 1,139, 57 A. R. McGregor

Mature

Heather Bank Allegator Pass (31), 1,139, 57 A. R. McGregor

Thrieve Sport's Norma (316), 646.5, 50. Ian Douglas

Thrieve Sport's Athole (86), 1,090, 61. Ian Douglas

Thrieve Oxford Sport (208) 838 50 Ian Douglas

Fairfield Island Betty 2nd (60), 1,244, 52.2 Ian Douglas.

Brookdale Roxana (153) 958 51 Harold Brooks

Brookdale Jane (48) 1,255, 65 Harold Brooks

Canada Among Importers Of British Livestock

DOGS of various breeds, fowls, ducks, pheasants, even ostrich and bees, are unexported items in the livestock safely shipped from Britain overseas during 1940. Preliminary estimates put the total value of it at a figure not far short of £500,000.

Seventy per cent of this is accounted for by horses, either for breeding or racing. Thoroughbreds were sent to the United States, Canada, South Africa, Argentina, Chile, Brazil, Colombia, Trinidad and Barbados. Hackneys were taken by Canada and the USA, as were Hackneys and Clydesdales.

The USA was, in fact, Britain's biggest horse buyer by far last year, for also also took polo ponies, Shetland ponies, Welsh ponies and Suffolk Punches.

Altogether, 1,627 horses were shipped from Britain during 1940, compared with the year before and after 2,000 in 1938.

Cattle were the next most important export, about one-sixth of the total value. Shorthorns were sent to the USA, Canada, Argentina, Uruguay and Kenya. Of the dairy breeds Kenya took Ayrshires and English Jerseys, Brazil, Ayrshires, Nepal, British Friesians.

Aberdeen Angus to Canada

OF the famous British beef breeds, Aberdeen Angus cattle went to Canada and Argentina, Herefords to Argentina and Uruguay, and a South Devon bull to Colombia.

A feature of the sheep exports was the growing popularity of the Kent, or Romney Marsh, breed which was shipped to India, Argentina, Chile, Peru, Uruguay and the Falkland Islands.

Argentina took the greatest variety of sheep breeds, in addition to Kents her quota included Lincoln Longwools, Hampshire Downs, Ryelands, Southdowns, Shropshires, Border Leicesters and Oxford Downs.

Canada had Suffolks, Hampshire Downs and Southdowns. Chile, these two last; India, in addition to Kents, bought Southdowns, Hampshire Downs, Oxford Downs, Cheviots and Wensleydales. Uruguay took the Lincoln Longwool breed; Egypt, the Suffolk.

Pigs of the famous Large White breed were sent to Canada.

All this livestock is valuable pedigree stock sent overseas for breeding purposes; a proportion of it is being used to maintain the standard of livestock in countries from which foodstuffs come back to Britain.

These exports are thus making a double contribution to Britain's war effort, and the £500,000 estimate of their value shows a big increase over 1938, when it was £683,000.

A Page For CHILDREN

Baffled by the Birds

By PAUL BRIAN

BO Bo is a big, soft, grey kitten and, like the baseball pitcher of the pennant-winning Tiger team after whom he was named, has an over-abundance of self-confidence, self-reliance and pride in his achievements. But since the blue jays imposed upon him, he is a changed cat. It is a proverbial truth that when dog bites man it is no news. But when man bites dog there is something to write about. In like manner when a cat annoys the birds, it is commonplace, but when the birds play tricks on a cat there is a story. And that is the story of Bo Bo.

It was a rainy night last Spring when a poor little tramp kitten mewed for food at the home of a couple who were lonesome for a pet. The dizzy little fellow was unattractive enough, but—since he was hungry they took pity on him. Pity turned to love, and love to pride. Food, baths and shelter made a different animal of him. He developed into a greatly prized pet. Pampered and adored, he soon became the aristocrat of the house.

In all his adventures, such as every cat has, he was never a coward. He often brought home held mice as trophies of his prowess. Not that he ever delighted to eat such ordinary food, he was too accustomed to eating bacon and cat biscuits to care for mice other than as proof of his ability in game hunting. Many a night he had with other cats for supremacy in the neighborhood, and these earn him a great deal of suffering and many chunks of fur. He even had a serious set-to with a dog once, but it was the blue jays which entirely baffled him.

Those beautiful big birds had always attracted him. He wanted them for his own, and they seemed an easy for him to catch. They didn't act as if they were afraid of him the way the wrens and the robins were. It ought to be easy work to catch one any time he wished.

One day he determined not to put it off any longer. He was going to grab one of those big birds and then he would take it into the house with him as he did the field mice. There were lots of them all about that night there in his own yard. Step by step, he stealthily crept up upon them. They allowed themselves to be clutched at, but each time they seemed just beyond his reach. In tantalizing manner they even seemed to invite his attention. Up a tree he went after them, but each time he grabbed they managed just to escape him. He followed them out on a limb, but by that time they were in the twigs and always just beyond his reach. He so coveted his prize he didn't notice where he was going. But, finally, he got out on a very slender twig where it was impossible for even a grey kitten to hold on. Just then, as if at a given signal, all those big blue jays came flying at him and they all pounced on him at once, pecking him unmercifully. Bo Bo was so startled, so frightened, so smarting from attack that he all but fell off his high perch. Winning in misery, he turned about as quickly as he was able, and scurried down that tree trunk as fast as he could in a streamlined retreat for home, with his fluffy tail out straight behind him and his ears so flat ears pressed tightly to his small grey head.

And now Bo Bo is a changed cat. He is as meek and as mild as a cat can be, and never since that day has he shown the least bit of interest in the blue jays.

Wood Folk Prevent Fires

"NOW," said the Wise Owl, "I have lived in these woods for many years and I have found, through constant watching that most of the fires start near where there are people. I know just as well as you do, that it is nice to live near a camping ground. There are always lots of tasty tid-bits to be had when the picnickers leave, but there is also the danger from fire."

All the little wood folks nodded; they knew what the Wise Owl said was true.

"There must be some way to protect ourselves and prevent fires," said Mrs Robin; "surely we can do something to make the woods safe."

"Well," the Wise Owl answered, "I am not sure about stopping all the fires, but we can surely help prevent a great many of them."

"Oh, how?" all the little forest folks asked. "Please tell us how."

"Very well," said the Wise Owl, "I will. In the first place a great many of the fires are started by lighted cigarettes and cigars. Now if we were to take turns gathering up all the cigarette and cigar butts, it might help a lot."

"Goody, goody," laughed Shirley Squirrel, "that makes a job for me. I can run quickly and pick things up as fast as anything."

"Yes, and it makes a job for me," said Peter Porcupine. "I could carry ever so many cigarette butts on my quills."

"And I," cried the little Red Fox, "can smell things for a long distance; I could find the lighted cigarettes."

"That's fine," smiled the Wise Owl; "there will be a chore for each of you."

All the little forest folks started to work with a will, and do you know there have hardly been any fires near their home since—A British Columbia Forest Service story.

Wonderful Facts About You

How the Head Moves in All Ways

BY a wonderful arrangement of hinging the head can be turned in all directions. Two knobs at the base of the skull work in hollows in the first bone (called the atlas vertebra) of the spine, so that the head can rock backward and forward when it is pulled by the muscles of the neck. The atlas vertebra in the turn is so jointed with the second vertebra (called the axis that it can, with the skull, be turned from side to side by other muscles of the neck, thus enabling the head to be turned in practically every direction.

Your Body's Engine and Its Life-Work

WITH each stroke of the heart labor is produced sufficient to lift a one-pound weight a little more than a yard. The number of heart beats, which are like the strokes of a lift-and-force pump, averages about 100,000 in twenty-four hours, or nearly 40,000,000 a year. In seventy years, therefore, the heart, working without interruption, would beat 2,800 million times. In a single year the heart draws in and forces out 850,000 gallons of blood, and in seventy years it would pump enough blood to fill a tank with a capacity of nearly 9,000,000 cubic feet.

The Frog That Burst

AN ox grazing in a meadow chanced to tread on a frog and trample it to death, and the best informed the mother that the great white did it was the biggest creature they ever saw.

Was it so big? asked the old frog, swelling and blowing herself up. Oh, much bigger, was the answer. So big? said she, straining and puffing herself out. Bigger? Much, much bigger, indeed, mamma, if you were to burst yourself, you would never be as big. But the old frog strove again, and burst herself indeed.

Moral, How many vain people burst and come to nothing.

I Love These Still

England, with all thy faults,
I love thee still.
My country; and while yet a nook is left
Where English minds and manners may be found
Shall my affections be
Praise enough
To fill the ambition of a private man
That Chatham's last living heir, may
mother-tongue.
And Wolfe's great name compatriot
with his own.

—Cowper.

A Chinese Rhyme

Teach your son a trade before he's twenty,
Whatever he grows,
Plant your fields with rice and beans
a-plenty—
Not too many flowers.

Can He?

A canner, exceedingly canny,
One morning remarked to his granny
"A canner can can
Anything that he can;
But a canner can't can a can, can he?"

When is a girl's cheek not a cheek?—When it's a little pale.

When are two eyes not two eyes?—When the wind makes them water.

The Mystery of the Eel

WHAT is an eel? It is a question that wise men have asked for twenty centuries. Let us ask another question in turn:

What is it that catches land birds, that snaps off the legs of little water birds, that comes out of the sea and marches over dry land, that fasts for eight months at a stretch and grows small in order to grow big, and that, with all these mysteries, has baffled wise men for a thousand years?

It is our slithery, slimy old friend of the water, the common eel.

Aristotle, the wisest man of his day, was as much puzzled by the eel as our fishers were. All sorts of ideas were held about them; the idea is that, as nobody had ever been able to discover the actual history of the eel, people sought a miraculous unnatural explanation. They knew that the lordly salmon comes up out of the sea to lay its eggs in the river near its source, but the big eels were never found travelling in the rivers except toward the sea. They had certainly left no eggs or young behind them, and it was quite certain that no eels ever went up the rivers to lay eggs, for adult eels never went up the rivers at all. And in the sea itself, toward which the big eels were swimming, not a little eel could be discovered. Men could find all other young sea-fish there, fish they name and fish they did not know, but never a baby eel. Yet every year up the rivers came teeming millions of tiny things called eels.

Teeming Multitudes

THE little things are in such unthinkable multitudes that, without exaggeration, they seem to make the waters almost half solid. You dip in a bucket or a basket, and it is half full of them. Yet let the bucket stand, and the lower half becomes practically a solid jelly—a jelly of multitudes of slivers.

They are so small that it takes from 1,400 to 1,500 of them to weigh a pound. During the migration up the river, hundreds of men are out catching them, and no man considers he has a fair catch unless his booty represents a hundred-weight of slivers. That is to say, each of these hundreds of men catches, in a single night, not far short of 170,000 slivers; and that goes on night after night or day after day, according to the run of the tide. An official report speaks of four carloads being taken in a single night from one part of the River Severn, thirteen million little eels from one short stretch of river! It sounds impossible, but it is true, and hour after hour, day and night, for weeks together, as the tide runs, so the little visitors come wriggling up the river. But note this—the offspring of only two fully developed eels would fill not four cars, but eight cars! Another eel less than ten years old lays eleven million eggs.

Now, with all this unmatched wealth of life awaiting investigation, men could not solve the great problem as to how it got there. The elvers came up the rivers, as they still come, they vanished from the rivers, and all the wayside waters where they lived, but the essential link between the elvers and the eels, was missing. No man could explain this tremendous mystery.

While these strange creatures were puzzling wise men of fishermen and students of science in the inland waters, there was just as great a puzzle raising the storm of the investigators of the deep. Century after century the nets of the fishermen would bring up mighty loads of little flat fish, like tiny ribbons of glass, flattened from side to side, like the smallest of soles set up on edge.

Mysterious Peter Pans

THEY were about three inches long, with curious teeth pointing forward, and a strange, perplexing organism inside. Nobody could imagine from what they came, nobody could tell into what they changed. They were there and neat, they were not there! They seemed to have no parents, they appeared to have no offspring. Prolonged investigation, from age to age, enabled shreds of evidence to be pieced together, and men found that these creatures, instead of growing up, grew down. They were the Peter Pans of the deep sea. When they had grown three inches they stopped growing and began to decline. Then they vanished. Men called them Leptocephali, and dubbed their eyes in amazement.

At last, after years of perplexity, a great naturalist, who knew more about fishes than any other man who had lived before him, made a daring guess at the truth; he made a valiant plunge after knowledge. Landed half-way, and left himself and his fellows in a ditch of doubt and absurdity. His great feat was to determine that the Leptocephali were not complete fishes, that they were in the larval stage, like the caterpillars of moths. There he was right, but next he got wrong. He thought they were the offspring of various marine fishes, and should follow a normal line of development, but that something went wrong with them, arresting their growth and development. Their internal organs did not mature, he thought, they died incomplete, leaving no descendants to follow them. So said one of the greatest of all authorities on fishes. So there were two puzzles for the naturalists—one in rivers and ponds and ditches, and one out at sea.

Great Transformation

NOW link the two riddles together and you have—eels! The Leptocephali of the deep are the first form of the eels; the elvers crowding in the rivers are the second form; the great eels of the ponds and lakes and running waters are the grown-ups, which in due season climb out of their watery beds, slither across the land back to the running waters, and reach the great ocean. There they lay their eggs, from which arise the Leptocephali.

That is the mystery which baffled wise men for two thousand years. But the mystery of it all does not disappear when we know the answer to the riddle. The eel's life-story is all wonder, approach it from what stage we will.

Let us go out to sea from a Scottish or English river, in company with a full-grown eel. It may come from a river which winds its way eastward to the sea. The eel will not remain on the East Coast. It will swim round to the West. It will writhe its way out West, beyond the coast of Ireland, out to where the last terrace of the European plateau ends, and out in the deep water, 1,200 feet down, this creature which has passed nearly all its life in fresh water will deposit its eggs.

Down in the abysses these eggs are laid. No matter how shallow the water of the pond, a properly developed eel can flourish in it, but the life of the egg cannot mature unless the egg is laid under 1,200 feet of water. The cleverest human diver in the world, armoured in the latest mechanical devices, cannot descend more than about a thousand feet in the water, but this microscopic speck which forms the egg of an eel brings forth its life at several times the depth to which this man dare go.

Now, the young eel undergoes a transformation as complete as that of the tadpole which becomes a frog. It it hatched a little ribbon-like thing, and lives for months like the young of other fish, eating and growing. It has a tiny, round, tube-shaped head, but its body is flattened from side to side, and so thin and clear that it can be seen through, like glass. Then, after a certain time, the body begins to change. The wide flattened frame begins to grow down to the size of the little head and tail. Little by little the Leptocephali alters its form. The flattened body becomes more and more rounded, until finally the tube-like form of the baby eel is attained.

To Mouths of Rivers

THE change takes eight or nine months, and during the whole of that time the little eel takes no nutrition. It cannot eat, for the funny little forward-pointing teeth have to go and new ones have to take their places, hands of teeth on upper and lower jaws. And at last, instead of a fish with a big flat body and a tiny head, we have a baby eel. The ribbon of transparent flesh has become the two-inch elver of the rivers.

It never sees its parents. They die when the eggs are laid. They are like the flowers we rail annual, they live to produce eggs as these flowers live to produce seeds, and when that is done the eels die as the annual flowers die. The young elver soon very grows up. They complete their transformation in the sea, as the land-dwelling frog completes his in the water. Then, they leave the seas, rivers and the lakes and the ponds!

They achieve in such manner that the very color of the water seems changed by their presence. But they do not keep to the rivers. The same wonderful instinct which took their parents far out into the ocean brings these little creatures up the winding rivers and leaches them to get out and go overland.

By means too wonderful for us to understand, these little elvers know where inland waters lie, or they find their way to them. They wriggle out of the rivers; they slither like small snakes up the banks, they cross fields, they wriggle along roads, and they find the ponds and ditches, even the wells.

For the most part they wriggle through the grass which is damp and dewy at night. Their skins are slimy and moisture, which helps their progress. But the chief thing which distinguishes the eels from the generality of fishes is in the construction of their gills. No ordinary fish can live long out of water. Fishes breathe by extracting oxygen from the water, but they "drown" in the air as we drown in water. The gills of the eel, however, are a marvellous piece of natural mechanism. The gill-openings are small slits protected by a fine membrane stretched on tiny bones, like the framework of an umbrella. Within each slit is a large cavity, at the back of which are the true gills. In this cavity the eel can retain a relatively large quantity of water, which keeps the delicate little breathing apparatus moist and afloat. Water is the air of the eel, and so, in these gill-cavities, the eel carries its atmosphere with it. Until that moisture is dried up the eel can be as safe on land as a snake.—From Children's Newspaper.

When is a pie like a famous poet?—When it is Browning.

Nature's Children

Sissy Father Sea-Horse

FATHER Sea-Horse is a bit of a sissy! This undersea creature with the head of a horse and the tail of a monkey has a brooding pouch into which Mamma Sea-Horse puts the eggs. Father must keep these eggs safe and sound until they hatch into the baby sea-horses, but this swimming baby carriage doesn't seem to mind his job at all!

Stay at Home Mrs. Hornbill

MR. Anjatte Hornbill has found a way by which he can keep his wife at home when she should be hatching the eggs. As soon as the eggs are laid in their usual hollow tree nesting place, the male hornbill will plaster up the entrance to the nest all but a tiny opening through which food is pushed from time to time.

Nest-Builder Mr. Stickleback

ALTHOUGH most fish abandon their eggs almost as soon as they are laid, the stickleback is a real exception. This fish with the spiny back builds an underwater nest of twigs and small sticks, binding them together with a sticky fluid. After the eggs are laid in the nest, the stickleback will guard their resting place with jealous care.

Baby Porkies

A PORCUPINE baby is born with its eyes open wide and is able to erect its own protective covering of needle-sharp spines a few days after it has been born. Quite as it sounds, a porcupine baby is larger than a newly-born baby bear, although when fully grown a bear will weigh more than thirty times an adult porcupine.

Tiny Possums

BABY possum is just a little tot when born. Indeed, a brood of twelve wriggling pink opossum babies could safely snuggle inside the bowl of a soup spoon.

Babies by the Yard!

AN eighteen-foot anaconda from Trinidad gave birth to rather a recent family—seventy-two infants, each a yard long and close to two inches in thickness.

Tadpole-Carrier

ONE of the oddest toads in the world lives in Surinam, a toad who actually carries its eggs about with it until they are hatched. The eggs are pressed by the male into the sponge back of the female, where they sink into the skin and become covered by a sort of covering that resembles the cellophane covering over a jam jar. Offer safely hidden, the eggs hatch out and the tadpole stage is safely passed through. The brood does not emerge from their hiding places until they are perfectly formed young toads.

Entente Cordial

THAT animals will form strange friendships is a well known fact, but what may not be as well known is that most of these odd relationships are made under the influence of human kindness. For instance, there is a strange friendship that has sprung up between two tame farm animals and a creature from the wild forests of Vancouver Island. "Jackie," a deer; "Mirkey," a puppy dog, and "Muzzy," a gray-striped tabby, have become the closest of good companions and could be seen, any day playing together at their Oyster River home, at the north end of Vancouver Island.

Another instance of strange relationships under the influence of man's kindness comes from Petaluma, California, where a game warden presented a tiny abandoned fawn to the Veterans's Home of California. It first confronted by a gem, the helpless deer was fed from a bottle. Her bed-mate was a little kitten, who when grown, followed the deer about when it was released to freedom in the institution's yard.

As the deer grew older, it was released in a nearby wood; but every year, just as soon as the hunting season begins, the deer returns to the Veteran's Home apparently seeking shelter for itself and its twin fawns. Last year she made her fifth consecutive return bringing with her two spotted fawns, a buck and doe. The new large "kitten" still remembers her wild-wood friend and roams about with the adopted deer and her shy woodland babies.

The River Goes

O tell me, pretty river,
Whence do thy waters flow?
And whither art thou roaming,
So smoothly and so slow?

My birthplace was the mountain,
My nurse the April showers;
My cradle was the fountain,
Ever-curtained by wild flowers.

One morn I ran away,
A madcap, giddy rill;
And many a pranksome day
I played adown the hill!

And third 'mid meadow banks
I flirted with the flowers,
That stopped with glowing lips
To woo me to their bowers.

But these bright scenes are o'er,
And darkly flows my wave.
I hear the ocean roar,
And there must be my grave

Bottle Post

A LITTLE girl stood on the deck of a liner which was taking her to Canada. She was the tadpole stage, Margaret Pinto, and was seen to be stuffing some paper into a bottle, which she then threw into the sea. It was a letter to her father in London.

Meanwhile Margaret settled down in Quebec. Imagine her surprise the other day when daddy wrote and congratulated her on being such a good postmistress! He had received the bottle letter. A lobster fisherman on Prince Edward Island had found the bottle, opened it, and forwarded the note to him.

When would you expect people to have stitches in their sides?—When they are hemmed in by a crowd.

Busy

When old Temptation sidles up
To work your ruin,
Just greet him with the simple words,
"There's nothin' doin'!"

But if he stays, and seeks to shake
Your faith with doubt,
Don't waste his time or yours, get up
And kick him out.

Ohpher!

Said a brisk and industrious gopher,
"This prairie's no place for a loafer,
So I'll hustle around
And dig holes underground—
Work is better than naps on a sopher!"

Here is good news about the bad boys of Barnsley. The magistrates in charge of the town have decided that digging is to replace the birch. Any boy coming before the court for doing wrong, if found guilty, can dig under the supervision of the parks superintendent.

Why is a book of history and a certain variety of palm tree alike—Both contain dates.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Britain Is Set to Meet

Any Type Gas Attack The Hun May Launch

War Correspondent Gets Comprehensive View of Preparations Made With Elaborate Thoroughness Throughout the Whole Country

By BRIGET PIGGE
(NEWS AGENCY SERVICE)

LONDON.—Here in London the other night I came to a moonlit little square where, except for the rumble of distant guns, all was peaceful and serene, with shadowy figures strolling by. But suddenly from down the street came a warden's rattle, loud and sharp, and then others, warning of gas.

Only true gas, but it stung, so like others around me I pulled on my mask and stood watching this "gas exercise" on London's system of defense.

With an indigo light and blue flag on a pole to indicate the rallying point, grotesque as huge hobgoblins, in gas masks, tin hats, oilskin suits, gauntlets and rubber boots the air raid wardens and police and decontamination squads stretcher-bearers, ambulances and vans came quickly out of the night and, while some roped off the street for decontamination, others began scattering in the "victims" caught without their masks.

EASY TO IMAGINE

No real sufferers were there but, from what I had learned of the power of this weapon Hitler may use any night, it was easy to imagine the quick choking gasps and coughs of those with phosgene gas in their lungs, or the screams of children blinded by mustard in their burning eyes.

Quickly, when with only slight patches of mustard or of Lewisite on skin or clothes would be treated at a neighboring drug store or arrit off in groups to the nearest first aid and decontamination posts established all over the city, less than ten minutes was spent.

There through air locks they would be taken into gas-proof chambers, where men and women would treat small inoxious burns, tear off the clothes of those badly stained and if need be, wheelwash their bodies with chloride of lime.

Every minute counts in this job," I was told by a Great War veteran there. "If you don't believe it, look at this!" He pulled up his trousers and rolled down his sock and showed me that from ankle to knee his leg was mottled with great blotches of bluish red.

"That's from mustard I got in 1917, and it still flares like hell at night—all because in the trenches in France it couldn't be washed off my leg in the first few minutes," he said. "And my voice is still so hoarse because I got gassed in that same year with chlorine and could not be treated in time. Here's another gas like it—phosgene."

JUST A SAMPLE

He brought out a small bottle of the stuff. "Want to try it? I said that I would. "Careful now." When I uncork it, just one whiff." I took a whiff. My eyes flashed and stung. He said: "In a very few minutes of breathing that stuff you'd be vomiting, too, and gasping for air with a grip of iron on your chest. Mustard, phosgene and chlorine can kill a man in a few hours if not treated right. London hospitals are prepared not only for chlorine and phosgene gas but for mustard and Lewisite and arsine."

I went to the best prepared of them all, the New Westminster Hospital. I was taken first to the ambulance entrance and there, on an order from my guide, two huge curtains of stuff like asbestos were quickly lowered to shut out gas, while from within strong currents of air began to pour, to keep any gas from flowing through the main or stretcher-case entrance nearby.

Since Victims of mustard or Lewisite can quickly contaminate others, as soon as they entered those gassed would be promptly removed into a hall called "the gas lot" divided by blast-proof walls into sections for women and children and another for men. Nurses and orderlies in gas masks and suits of oilskin, rubber boots and gloves would tear off the tainted clothes and throw them into steel containers. People protected by gas and wounds would be washed in bath trays set in the floor, and the others would wash themselves beneath shower baths of lukewarm water.

CAREFUL WASHING

The nurses would quickly cleanse all eyes with saline solution or treat them with soda water, for unless removed the tinfoil splash of mustard or of Lewisite can cause blindness for life. Hair would be washed with peroxide, despite the protests of female victims, to make sure that scalps were safe. Then through an "air lock" or vestibule the slighter casualties would go to a first aid room, where slight wounds or burns would be treated, and then in rooms adjoining they would be provided with gas masks, shoes or slippers and clothes.

In the meantime, those who had been burnt badly would be wrapped in blankets and taken to the wards above all rendered safe in gas attacks by heavy double curtains at windows and constant pressure of air from machines. And no wards, shelters and phosgene gas, since they do not contaminate, would not be washed but be carried at once to beds kept warm by hot water bags day and night. There they would be kept perfectly still and, with opiates given them to breathe and doctors and nurses working hard through the first critical days and nights, numberless lives would be saved by their care. But for many the treatment would come too late and death in delirium would take place.

Gas may come any night, as the enemy's last attempt to stampede the people into a panic. But if he does it, it will be the risk of quick retaliation in kind on German cities, he will find. England well prepared. For not only are the hospitals and first aid posts all over the land ready now for gas attacks, but the central control rooms of railroads and public utilities and of the civil Government and of the army, navy and air forces, are all being rapidly equipped with "gas filtration plants," so that during a gas attack, in air-conditioned rooms made safe from all deadly vapor, men may direct the disposition of troops and ships and planes and the whole of civil defence. And even these are only parts of the vast and intricate system protecting England from gas or any other attack by the mechanized tiger now loosed on mankind.

BRANDS THIEF WITH HOT IRON

Housewife Disarms Criminal By Quick Thought and Bold Action

By P. B. KING

LONDON (BUP).—An Irishman who tried to hold-up a doctor's wife on the Amerfran estate near Ballinasloe, County Galway, got his wife's wiser man. He bears an electric iron burn on his right hand as a reminder that gun-play in England does not pay.

The victim was the wife of Dr Murphy, of Dagnall Park, South Norwood, was alone in her house when the front door bell rang and a man entered the waiting-room.

He told her that the doctor had promised to give him his fare to Ireland. Mrs Murphy suggested that he should call again when the doctor was in. The man then whipped out a revolver, and, pointing it at Mrs Murphy, demanded to be shown the safe. Mrs Murphy, who had been ironing in the breakfast room, backed in there. The man saw the safe, and, still holding Mrs Murphy covered, tried to open it.

AN OPPORTUNE KNOCK

There was a knock at the door. The man turned around. He grabbed the hand on the door as vault over it. It was Mrs Murphy's chance. She picked up the iron from the ironing board, banged it down on his right hand, dropped the revolver and with a yell.

Mrs Murphy then picked up the gun and said to the man: "It isn't loaded," he said, and snatching it from her, ran off through the bark door.

"I was not at all nervous," said Mrs Murphy, while the man was pointing the revolver at me. I was thinking all the time of how I could get rid of him. His hand must have been burned very badly."

MELBOURNE Australia (BUP).—D. Paila, nineteen-year-old New South Wales player, defeated Adrian Quist, Australia's champion, at a patriotic tennis tournament at Kooyong, and played superbly to do so. The score were 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. During the last few months Paila has played frequently with and against Australia's best, and his improvement was most noticeable.

London Crowns Her Queen of the May

Death and devastation fail to stand in the way of traditional pageantry so dear to the British heart—London is to have a May Queen again. The recent Nazi air raid, Fourteen-year-old Dorset Garbutt is the queen, fifteen-year-old June Parker is her Chairman. This photograph was made during recent rehearsal.

Australia Looks to Guard Her Children Despite War Effort

Legislates for Dominion-wide Endowment Scheme —Looked On as Important Milestone in Social Legislation—No Income Qualification

By P. B. KING

SYDNEY, Australia (BUP).—Despite being pre-occupied with the ever-increasing war effort, the Federal Government has found the opportunity to legislate for an Australian-wide child endowment scheme. In the words of the Minister for Labor and Social Services, Mr. Holt, "Parliament is asked to accept the Bill as one of the few measures of social progress that it is possible to introduce in time of war and to regard it as a forerunner of the post-war reconstruction that will be possible when surplus productive forces can be again turned to the purposes of peace."

Besides meeting with the approval of the Labor Party, the principle of the measure is recognized by Conservative supporters of the Government as an important milestone in Australian social Legislation, correcting a serious fault to our wages system.

MILLIONS ELIGIBLE

Under the scheme, to come into effect from the beginning of the financial year on July 1, payment will be made at the rate of 5 shillings a week for all children under the age of sixteen in excess of one child in each family. There are about 1,850,000 children under sixteen in Australia, and it is estimated that 1,200,000 of these are eligible for endowment.

The estimated cost of the scheme is £13,000,000 a year, and it is to be financed partly by a tax of 2 1-2 per cent. on profits, partly from general revenue, and partly by the abolition of income tax deductions for each child, after the first, in a family.

The Government hopes that endowment will help to stem the decay of family life in Australia, and declares that it is a first and necessary step in a wide national programme for the protection of children.

PRINCIPAL FEATURES

Among the principal features of the scheme are:

There is to be no income qualification for endowment, which will be paid to all parents for each dependent child after the first.

Allowances will be paid to children of war pensioners and members of the fighting forces, as a benefit additional to the family allowances they already receive. Endowment will be paid for children living in private homes, but not for children in institutions which are substantially supported by the States.

AFTER TWELVE MONTHS

British subjects coming from overseas will be entitled to claim endowment after they have been in Australia for twelve months. Endowment will be payable for children born in Australia of alien fathers because such children are British subjects, and for children not born in Australia from the time that their fathers become naturalized. It will be paid to those of aborigines and half-castes living in conditions "comparable with those of white Australians." Claims by parents and guardians for endowment are to be based on actual responsibility or maintenance, rather than on natural relationship which will not give the right to claim, if it does not involve maintenance. Adopted and illegitimate children may be claimed for, if otherwise eligible by those maintained them.

In his speech in Parliament, Mr. Holt said that it was hoped that the scheme would have a very substantial effect on the birth rate but to the extent that it relieved the economic pressure on parents of large families, its tendency must be in that direction. In preparing estimates of the number of children who would benefit from the proposals, it had been necessary to take into account the gloomy fact that the number of children under sixteen had decreased by about 4 per cent since the 1933 census.

MUST SHOW CAPABILITY

"If we are to meet the challenge of the dictatorships and evoke the most enthusiastic efforts of our people, he added, "we must show that our democratic society is a vital society capable of adaptation and progress."

Replying to criticism by business of the 1-2 per cent payroll tax, by which the Government would raise about £8,000,000 of the £13,000,000 needed annually, Mr. Holt said that many employers seemed to have lost sight of the enormous fillip to industry which would result from a very large rise in the birth rate. Moreover private industry would actually pay only £6,000,000 in payroll tax. The other £13,000,000 would be carried by Government and semi-Government institutions.

IS SAVED BY BAG OF SUGAR

Keeps Boy Alive Trapped in Ruins Until Rescue Affected

LONDON (BUP).—A bomb blast buried a bag of sugar from a cupboard into the recess, bed where a boy in his pyjamas was trapped.

For two days the sugar sustained him while rescue squads worked in the wreckage of his tenement home on Clydeside.

"I'M OK"

They heard his voice long after they had given up hope of any one being alive.

They shouted: "How are you?" The boy, Stanley Ewing, aged fifteen, replied cheerfully: "I'm OK. Get me out of here." They put him out, black with soot and dust. His first words were: "Don't worry about me. Try to rescue my mother." She was in the next room.

A girl, aged eleven, was saved from the tenement after being trapped for thirty-six hours. Six too, was fully conscious.

In another bombed district of Clydeside a man was trapped for eighteen hours with one of his legs pinned under an iron girder.

SANG FOR JOY

He sang for joy as the rescuers worked towards him. But they could not remove him because of the obstruction which pinned his leg.

Two doctors and a nurse were called. They crawled through a narrow hole. In the end they spare they successfully amputated the man's foot. He was taken to hospital. But he died later.

One of his rescuers said: "He was a brick. He talked cheerfully to us all the time."

Making Man Invisible at Fifty Yards

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (BUP).—Men and women artists, who were painting pictures before the war, are now busy at a special camouflage factory somewhere in England.

And they can make it impossible for a sniper standing erect to be picked out from a distance of fifty yards, said one of them. They can also make a portion of a building so completely that Nazi airmen would be baffled.

The factory looks like a film studio, and can produce almost anything, the famous plaster in which the experts work.

The staff includes sculptors, architects, artists and art students. Authoress Violet Paxton is also there, but it must remain secret what she is doing.

SMUGGLE IN BEAUTY AIDS

Irish Girls Bring Contraband Cosmetics Across the Edge Border

BELFAST (BUP).—Girls "beauty" smugglers, operating on the Ulster-Eire boundary, are smuggling contraband cosmetics into Northern Ireland where the limitations of supply order has made beauty aids as precious as diamonds.

One thousand powder puffs were recently seized by anti-smuggling police after an evening raid near Newry, on the Ulster border at dawn.

The powder puffs formed part of the largest haul of contraband boudoir accessories seized in Ireland since the war began.

Among the goods confiscated were hundreds of boxes of perfume, 3,234 hairnets, 900 combs, sixty-three dozen handkerchiefs, 5,000 pairs of silk stockings, 4,000 pairs of shoelaces and seventeen pocket knives.

This booty was run to earth in the Brotstown area on the Ulster side, where police have seized, in the past few days alone.

Large quantities of lipstick, nail file, cigarette lighters and cosmetics, 30,000 chicken pegs and a crate of chocolate which was found under the floor of a cow byre, a lorry laden with fowl crates.

CAR CHASE

A car was chased across the border into Ulster by an unapproved route was spotted by a police patrol. The police car chase, but the fugitive car dodged down a long cross-country road and succeeded in escaping into Eire.

South of the border an Eireann customs patrol noticed fresh tracks on the Ulster side and began a search.

They traced the tracks to a shed where the goods had apparently been dumped from the car.

Beside the contraband, they found a motor cycle, also found standing beside the shed.

VITAL LINKS

The Northern Ireland Police are co-operating with the Eire Customs Police in an effort to "Stop the rot" in smuggling.

They are of the opinion that the brains behind these gangs are women—many of them girls—who would not consider crime in peacetime but are now acting on the principle that beauty is above the law.

FAMOUS BIRD HAS MADE LAST EXIT

BEMBRIDGE, Isle of Wight (BUP).—A man who made fame and fortune by playing his goose that laid the golden eggs, Isle of Wight.

He was Fred Conquest, that of two generations of children and star of forty-eight pantomimes in the days of a career which only ended six years ago.

Conquest was the son of George Conquest, who used to produce melodramas and pantomimes at the Surrey Theatre.

Many hours of his leisure were spent in feeding wildfowl on the movements and ways of geese.

For years he delighted London audiences as the goose in "Mother Goose" or as the dog in "Mother Hubbard."

One of his greatest successes was in "Jack's Fortune" or "The Few Eggs."

Mr. Conquest would never take off his mask at the end of a show. The children thought he was a real goose, he used to say, and he was not going to spoil the illusion.

He was particularly proud of a letter he once received from a farmer who told him: "You are more like a real goose than a real goose is."

Minor Adversity

Share of Ladies Noble and Lowly

London Headlines Proclaim That Women Will Get Fewer Clothes, and Even Men's Underwear Will Be Rationed—Ladies Also Forbidden to "Feed Their Face"

By CHARYLLE CAREY

LONDON (BUP).—If it be true, as we are told, that "The Colonel's Lady and Judy O'Grady are sisters under their skin," it looks as though they may soon bear that relationship on the surface too—and men may join the family as brothers. Or they will share a few minor adversities.

Read these headlines in London newspapers:

"Women will get fewer clothes."

and "Men's undies rationed."

Time was when even a mildly perfumed mention of women "ladies" was taboo in polite society, in mixed company at any rate. But that was before the word was invented. At that time ladies wear of that description, it had to be mentioned in public was vaguely and under-the-breath, referred to as "them."

NO MORE MYSTERY

Today, thanks to the window displays of the great stores, the advertisements in the newspapers and the illustrations in the magazines, especially those of the glossy variety, there is no longer any mystery, and the mention of even the most intimate of female garments no longer brings a blush to the cheek of even the least sophisticated. Therefore it is left to a London newspaper, very largely read is able to say for all to read: "Panties, instead of being flared, are being designed on tight-fitting lines. Cami-knickers will be shorter, more streamlined from the waist only petticoats will be the fashion."

The old-fashioned camisole is coming into its own again. And to make this quite definite—even if quite incredible—a London lingerie maker is quoted as saying that "Boon women's underwear will be smarter than ever. I find it is possible to produce and to use the amount of material with which I used to make one set, which seems to indicate that the days of miserlies has not yet passed."

TWO-THIRDS ONLY

What is going to happen, apparently, is that manufacturers will not be allowed to produce more than two-thirds of the quantity of underwear and hosiery they made during the six months prior to the end of last November. That will not mean that the retailer will be directly rationed by the Government but that she will not be able to get so much to keep in stock; he will do what he chooses with what he has for sale, but the idea he is a diplomat and is all things to all women he may probably be torn to pieces by disappointed and infuriated lady customers.

As far as outer garments are concerned, manufacturers are cut down by not to about 60 per cent.

For the menfolk the position is not so serious, that is because to a man's pair of pants and an undershirt or just a pair of pants and an undervest—and "Pyjamas" are forbidden—there the feminine equivalents are scarred raiment is wonderfully free and gone most of us—the men—will have to make our underwear last for an indefinite time more especially if the income tax continues to rise and the value of money to fall, as they will inevitably do. That calamitous state of things does not seem to worry the ladies unduly.

Anyhow, we are to be rationed on the same scale as the women are.

Well, here is another headline: "Don't feed your face." That is another thing which women are forbidden and so the men will be concerned because they don't eat their share of food.

TOILET OATMEAL

Translated, the reference is to the use by women of toilet oatmeal in place of soap. That practice is coming to an end because it takes a lot of oatmeal. I learn on feminine authority is fine oatmeal scented and mixed with a little glycerine is not obtainable except from old stock. It appears that the ladies—who don't care much for lavender bunny ordinary oatmeal—are "raising Cain" about the fact that, as they are now told they can no longer indulge their waste of foods ordinance and renders them liable to prosecution. In other words, they have been warned!

Back on this and that and the other thing are now in fashion. Our women are now forbidden in some circumstances to paint their finger nails, for instance, where they are serving in first- and secondary stations. Not only may they not use red varnish which so many of them affect, but the medical officers object to the habit of so many girls of giving their nails into long sharp-pointed talons. The medicos say that they are likely to be dangerous where wounds are concerned. It was the custom at one time when women first went into offices, for some women to explain their long-pointed nails by saying that of course they were not engaged in any such work as typing!

However, short nails will be the rule now, and we may not see so much of what are so often thought among men and most women, though accurately described as those "scarlet claws."

TWO DEAD MEN COME TO LIFE

Meet Again Twenty-Four Years After Supposedly Fatal Crash

Two "dead men" met in Helleland recently. The "ghosts" just cannoned into each other.

"I thought you were dead," said one. "I could have sworn you were gone" the other replied.

Their previous meeting was in the cockpit of a Royal Flying Corps Spowtit two-seater flying on an airfield near Ypre, in August, 1917.

Capt. I. M. Moffat-Pender was pilot and Second-Class Aircraftsman W. T. Smith was observer. They met the other day at Squadron Leader Moffat-Pender, RAAF, down on leave from a northern station, and Sergeant Smith, RAAF, of the staff of recruiting and training headquarters.

In August, 1917, a flight of three Spowtits was to carry out a "Scouting patrol from Ypres to Menin and Armentieres. But there engine and bullets caught from the patrol, and they turned over Ypres to begin the flight along the course of the River Lys alone.

PILOT WOUNDED

They flew at 7,500 feet, and a German plane, waiting in the sunlight, took off and began for the Allied patrols, dived and poured a burst through the petrol tank forward of the pilot's cockpit, and dumped down on the tail. Smith regained the fire and the Lewis gun and set the enemy on fire.

Meanwhile the "Old Man," the squadron's nickname for Moffat-Pender, had let the Spowtits go down in a sideslip dive and while Smith clambered along the fuselage to extinguish the blaze, the pilot, who lost 3,000 feet.

In a few more seconds they were crashed. Pilot and observer each other "again for twenty-four years.

They were both back into uniform as soon as the rail went out for old hands in this war.

BRITISH VETERANS WON'T LIE DOWN

LONDON (BUP).—Anyone who visits the British sick and decrepit might do worse than refer to some of the fighting veterans who won't stop working.

One of them is Mrs. Sam Cook, of Wolverhampton, husband, who is believed to be the oldest woman saddler in Britain.

Her husband, who died last year, had been in the trade for more than a decade and for sixty years she had been his assistant. After his death she became the firm's manager, buyer and saleswoman, traveler and accountant.

Just to keep from getting bored, Mrs Clark also does most of her housework, cooking and washing. She has a bath every morning "to keep young."

Then there's L. D. Thomas of Southwick, Sussex, who has been cutting hair for fifty years and can't stop. For twenty-two years he was chief hairdresser at the Hotel Metropole in Brighton.